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We Want Young Men



Young men who have graduated from short pants and who are full of ideas about clothes. We want them to see the choice pickings we've made in their interest from **KIRSCHBAUM'S** spring and summer style. We figure that every young man who buys a suit of these makes from us this spring will be a walking and talking ad for us. He will have reason to be after the value he gets from us for his \$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$17.50 OR \$20.00. Straw Hats, Fancy Neckwear, Fancy Summer Underwear, Negligee Shirts. In fact everything in furnishings for men and young men.

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Everybody invited to come. All Fraternal Orders are invited to take part. Come early, help swell the crowd and have a good time.

SPECIAL RATES ON ALL RAILROADS.

Something Needed Portland Park Addition

Lots near the big Cement Plant to accommodate the hundreds of laborers to be employed in this great industry. This need has been met by laying out the Portland Park Addition just west of the cement plant. Lots are 30 feet by 140, with 60-foot streets and 20-foot alleys. Prices of lots are from \$20 to \$30. Terms, \$5 down and \$2 per month. A large reservoir is to be built on the north side by the cement company which will afford boating and fishing.

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Homes in the Reach of All in Portland Park Addition.

Plant your Money in Portland Park and let it Grow.

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Only room for 80 families in Portland Park while hundreds will be needed. This is the only land that will be available for years. Have you seen Ada lots advance one hundred and even one thousand percent, while you waited to see what the town would do? Take a tumble to yourself and buy lots in Portland Park. These lots are being sold at half their real value and on terms within the reach of all.

Ada Title and Trust Co.

Read The News Want Ads.

IT'S A DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM

State Convention Pledges the Party to Policy of Putting Farmers in Occupancy of all Land--Good Roads--Separate Schools and Coaches--Control of Corporations--Prohibition Non-Partisan Question

Oklahoma City, June 18.—(Convention Hall)—The democratic state convention which convened here today to ratify nominations made in the primary succeeded after midnight after a struggle over an expression on prohibition. All day the platform committee was in session, urging a positive declaration on the subject, as has heretofore been indicated.

The committee report, which was unanimously submitted, gave an expression believed to be satisfactory, but Tom Owen of Muskogee, acting for the delegation from his town, asked for a more specific declaration of enforcement in case statewide prohibition became a law. Oklahoma county, led by E. J. Geddings, formerly of Brenham, Texas, now of Oklahoma City, and George Henshaw of Madill made the fight against the Owen resolution, which was finally voted down.

At midnight formal nominations were begun. Oklahoma City, June 18.—Immediately following the Bryan speech this morning temporary organization of the state democratic convention was placed in charge of William H. Murray of Tishomingo and W. T. Field of El Reno as chairman and secretary.

Chairman Murray, who is also president of the Constitutional convention, spoke at some length on what the constitution contained. Many of the provisions which he stated had been grossly misrepresented, were explained in detail and comparisons made with present conditions. Referring to the state-wide prohibition feature, to be separately submitted to the voters with the constitution, the chairman sounded the warning that no matter what the result might be the democratic party would enforce all laws to the letter.

"We have been warned that it will be necessary to change some of the constitution's cardinal principles in order to secure statehood," said Mr. Murray, "and I want to say what ever will be necessary will be done. But statehood, deferred for a decade, the people would elect delegates they know would enact a constitution containing the principles now in this one."

Mr. Murray nominated Bryan for the presidency in 1908.

Preliminary organization consisted in the appointment of committees on resolutions, platform and rules and permanent organization, selection being made from judicial districts.

The convention gavel is made of hickory, cut from the homestead of Andrew Jackson, the seventh president of the United States.

While the committee were at work speeches were heard from C. B. Ames of Oklahoma City, Charles Madison of Muskogee, Henry Furman of Ada, Clint Worral of Hobart and Lee Crue of Ardmore. Mr. Ames announced he was a corporation attorney, but there was nothing in the constitution which honest corporations could fear.

At the night session these officers

took charge of the permanent organization, Judge R. A. Billups of Washita county, chairman; Gabe Parker, Bryan county secretary; N. A. Gordon, Oklahoma county and B. J. Waugh, Pontotoc county, reading clerks; J. Hightower, Canadian county, sergeant at arms; C. W. Meeks, Pittsburg county, J. G. Watts, Sequoyah county, assistants. There contests among three delegations.

The platform submitted to the convention indorsed the constitution and accepted it as the platform of the party, urged sale of the school lands, as soon as practicable, preference right being given to the lessee. Favors sale of the segregated coal and asphalt lands of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nation at a fair price, subject to the ratification by the people; favors sale of the surface lands to actual settlers and urges that private monopoly be prevented from acquiring the timber lands of the new state. In strong language the removal of restrictions from all except the homesteads, and it full-blood Indians is endorsed, and it is said there will be immediate distribution of the tribal funds. Pledges the passage by the legislature of a satisfactory road law and endorses the constitutional convention resolution pledging the legislature to enact a Jim Crow law and separate schools for whites and colored children. On the prohibition question, the platform declares that such is removed from partisan politics and relegated to the people according to the principles of the referendum. Following this is a specific declaration that if the party is given the reigns of government it is pledged to the full execution of all provisions of the constitution and all laws. It favors control of public service and transmission companies. Bryan was endorsed for president in 1908.

Upon the question of adoption Tom Owen of Muskogee asked an amendment to the prohibition section that if the democratic party is intrusted with power it will not only request but enforce the will of the people in this regard.

Owen took the floor and urged the party to take a position in the open in advocacy of law enforcement. George Henshaw of Madill and E. J. Geddings of Oklahoma City opposed any change in the platform, which the committee had reported unanimously. Moman Pruitt of Pauls Valley presented a resolution recognizing the Anti-Saloon League as a factor in the recent governor race and indorsing the state-wide prohibition. This was ruled out of order.

On the adoption of the Owen resolution the roll was called and the vote stood 398 for, 716 against. The platform was then adopted without change.

At midnight formal nominations were begun. Roy Hoffman of Chandler nominated T. P. Gore of Lawton for United States senator.

"LET THE PEOPLE RULE"

That's the Slogan for Oklahoma Democracy---Best Constitution Ever, Says Bryan--Commoner Arouses Great Enthusiasm at State Convention.

Oklahoma City, June 18.—Convention Hall, packed from gallery to pit, greeted with marked exultation William Jennings Bryan of Nebraska, who upon invitation of the democratic committee stopped in Oklahoma City today long enough to strike the keynote of the campaign which the dem-

25 Per Cent From the Regular Price

This sale will positively last no longer than Saturday, June 22.

See what you can save by taking advantage of the discount

Blue Serges in two pieces, our former price	\$12.50	3-Piece suits, our former price	\$10.00
On sale now for	\$9.38	Now on sale for	\$7.50
Our suits in two pieces, former price	\$15.00	Our 3-piece suits, former price	\$7.50
Now on sale for	\$11.25	Now on sale for	\$5.63

Just received the Silver Brand up-to-date Negligee Shirts, and the Gold Brand

\$1.00 and \$1.50

I. HARRIS.

swept to the limit of enthusiasm there was never the less an apparent languor in the speaker's words and the stamp of weariness was upon his brow that told of the almost sleepless hours of travel in campaigning and lecturing.

Yesterday the Bryan who carried the people off their feet in the Chicago convention in 1896 which gave him the presidential nomination and recognized in the sentiment he expressed, and received and applauded in much the same spirit today. Although only speaking forty minutes he told the convention much about the proposed constitution, which he pronounced as the best ever drafted by the hands of men. It was with difficulty that he made his way to the waiting vehicle after his address so vast was the crowd rushing to the stage to extend hearty congratulations.

When the visitor and party first appeared in the hall the usual demonstrations followed. Dismissing preliminaries, Chairman Thompson introduced E. L. Fulton of Oklahoma City, a former resident of Bryan's Nebraska district, who made the presentation speech. Reference to him as the next president of the United States was the signal for wild cheering, and when the portly form of the guest was observed in speaking attitude delegates mounted chairs and yelled lustily, waving standards and flags.

"The prospects of the democratic party in this state are so good," said the speaker, "that if anything you have frightened the republicans too soon. You have the best constitution in the United States, a better one than that of the United States. It is one of the best documents of human liberty ever drafted by men. Its purity of principle is much like that of a little child who prayed the Lord to make her life pure like baking powder. A newspaper in the east said the constitution had been drafted by a lot of corn-fed lawyers, and after reading it I congratulated them for having put it by trust fed attorneys."

"Let us make the key note, 'Let the people rule.' It is not only good here, but I want to see it occupy a place in the next national campaign, and I know of no better or more appropriate slogan."

"Oklahoma is not afraid to trust the people, for her sovereign representatives have made a constitution under which the people can control the government. I find that you placed therein clauses checking advances which experience has shown us are dangerous. You have placed a limit upon municipal franchises, and followed the splendid example of permitting no exclusive franchise until the people speak with authority. The initiative and referendum has been most valuable, applied to city affairs, and why not of equal value applied to state governments? If the citizen holds in check the government at home, why should not the same citizen hold in check the government at the state capital? There are less objectionable features to the Oklahoma constitution than to any I know of, but of the many good things there is that which tells the people if there is anything they don't like they may change it at

will, and I fail to understand how any republican cannot fail to vote for such a liberal document. If I do not miss my guess the people will adopt the constitution irrespective of intimidated republican opposition, and if I were selfish or had at interest only the democratic party I would say to Washington, 'Keep it out, for while we would lose seven editorial votes in the next National college we would gain many times that amount from states eager to rebuke an act of political perfidy.'

"Kansas, Illinois, Iowa, and Indiana, all of which have sons, daughters, and relatives in this new and prosperous country, would turn the tide of their power to a people so grossly oppressed, and Ohio, which by the way, has made a valuable contribution to your state."

In an instant the name of Haskell swept over the hall, while the flags and standards again came into play. "Yes, sir, Ohio, too," Mr. Bryan continued, "has sent her honored son here. Let them turn this constitution down and we will have Haskell clubs in Ohio from one end to the other."

After telling that democracy's prospects were growing brighter for national success in 1908 and paying a tribute to Thomas Jefferson as the father of democracy, who "built wiser than he knew," Mr. Bryan whisked in an automobile to the M. K. & T. depot, where the regular train had been held to carry him to Bartlesville, I. T.

"Mr. Bryan's speech was not only opportune," said Chairman Thompson tonight, "but will start us right in inaugurating a winning campaign for Haskell and the constitution."

THE FAMOUS TELEGRAMS

McKeown and Bolen Wire their "Constituents" at Home.

Tom D. McKeown, Mr. Crue's campaign manager for Pontotoc county, sent the following message out from Oklahoma last night:

Oklahoma City, Okla., June 18, 1907. To Crue Supporters, Pontotoc County.

We met Haskell's brigade and we are theirs.

Tom D. McKeown.

Another Message.

J. W. Bolen, Mr. Haskell's Manager for Pontotoc county, also sends a message that reads like this:

To Haskell's Supporters, Pontotoc County:

We met Crue's brigade and they are "ourn."

J. W. Bolen.

But now the battle is over, Mr. Crue gave his word to Mr. Haskell, and Mr. Haskell returned it to him. Mr. Crue's lieutenants are now Mr. Haskell's lieutenants and now it is one big, grand, invincible army of democrats sworn to whip the common enemy at the polls next fall.

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PONIES WERE FOUND GUILTY

They Hauled Booze and Got Confiscated by Government.

Muskogee, I. T., June 18.—A new departure was taken from the accustomed method of the United States officers in Indian Territory for the suppression of bootlegging whisky, when William E. Johnson, special officer of the government for this purpose, arrested two ponies which were hitched to a light wagon near Sapulpa a few days ago, in which there was a large supply of whiskey. The charge against the ponies was the aiding and abetting in the introduction of spirituous liquors and vinous malts into the Territory contrary to the laws of the United States. The ponies were sold by order of the court to the highest bidder for cash by the United States Marshal of the western district and bought by G. D. Sleeper of Wagoner, I. T.

According to the law against introducing, all horses, conveyances, etc., may be confiscated and sold by order of the court, hence the proceeding.

Progress in Oil Fields.

Tulsa, I. T., June 18.—With the production of oil in Indian Territory, greater by far than can be handled by all the purchasing agencies with the means at hand, the oil men concede that the price will not go up under present conditions. In fact, were it not for the prospect of relief when two independent pipe lines to the gulf are completed the price might rather be expected to take a drop. The maximum grade of Indian Territory oil commands a price of 41 cents a barrel, when Pennsylvania oil of similar grade brings over \$1.50 per barrel.

Indian Territory is now producing between 150,000 and 200,000 barrels of oil per day. This is a marvelous production as it now stands, but with the advent with the Morris field which is destined to be a great pool, possibly equal to the Glenn pool, the product of oil in the Indian Territory will be greatly increased. It is very likely bulk of oil produced in America will soon come from this section of the country.

The Gulf Pipe Line Company's line to the gulf is all down in Indian Territory and the Texas end is nearing completion, which means that the gulf company's line will be in operation within a few weeks. The Texas company's line is being rushed to completion is being rushed to completion and the two pipe lines, from present appearances, will be completed almost simultaneously.

NEWS FROM SULPHUR

Notes of Interest Gathered By The News Correspondent.

Sulphur, I. T., June 18.—Murray county's seventeen delegates to the democratic state convention left for Oklahoma City headed by Miss Essie Bell. Miss Bell is the democratic nominee for county superintendent, having received more votes than both her male opponents.

Delegates to the Oklahoma Annual League Conference of the Methodist church which will be held in this city Wednesday and Thursday, are arriving. There will be about 200 delegates in attendance. Rev. T. L. Rippey of Ada will preach the opening sermon Tuesday night.

Great preparations are being made for the Epworth League Chautauqua which opens on the 26th of this month, with W. J. Bryan as first orator. Much Chautauqua literature is being broadcasted over the two territories and Kansas, Arkansas and Texas. Excursions are being arranged for "Bryan Day." One and one-third fare tickets

will be on sale at all stations on the Santa Fe and Frisco.

The Frisco has gotten out a beautifully illustrated booklet advertising Sulphur and Platt Park as the greatest health and pleasure resort on the Frisco lines. Both the Frisco and Santa Fe have put in their folders illustrated matter advertising Sulphur, and their all-through year-round low rates to this resort.

CENTER NEWS NOTES.

Farmers are very thankful for the warm, dry weather. Cotton is small and oats are getting ready for harvest.

Mr. Krieger is trying to get up a fishing party to go on Salt Creek. Judge Hilton and Mr. Tully are carmen, and B. C. King as the pilot. None but defeated candidates needed on this fishing bee. Laugh and go afoot. He says it takes a brave man to stand prosperity, but a hero to laugh at defeat.

Johnny Hurt, better known as "Blind Johnny" is in Center teaching a music school. He says his aunt has entirely lost her mind. Aunt Hurt lived in Center a long time. We are very sorry that she has lost her mind. It makes it doubly hard on Johnny's wife, with a blind husband and an insane person—besides three small children to take care of. There is a good work for Christian people. Any help rendered will be thankfully received by the distressed family. We hope this appeal will reach the hearts of many and that help will be forth coming for them.

Mr. Bumpers went to Dallas, Texas, last week.

Mrs. Brown wet to Maud on Monday.

Miss Winnie Rader is visiting her aunts, Mrs. Lilla Copeland and Mrs. Kate Austell.

B. H. Lowry and wife and F. C. Krieger and wife were shopping in Ada Monday.

Will Stewart of Scipio, I. T., is visiting his uncle, Mr. George Ingram.

Rev. Brundidge of Ada filled the Baptist pulpit Saturday night and Sunday. Good crowd and good attention was had at every service.

Frying chickens are almost ripe in and around Center.

Mrs. Moles has been sick for several days.

John Rick has a very sick child with typhoid fever.

Hurrah for Haskell.

BEARD & BLANKS.

Real Estate, Loans and Insurance.

Reality is the basis of all security, but in this as in all other pursuits much depends upon the knowledge and probity of those through whom transactions of this character are conducted. Prudent buyers secure services of men of judgment, experience and standing for honesty and integrity to negotiate purchases, that they may know such incidental and important matters as the investigation of title, preparation of transfer papers, etc., will be carefully attended to.

Among those prominently engaged in handling real estate, the placing of loans and insurance in Ada is the well-known firm of Messrs. J. W. Beard and J. E. Blanks, whose convenient and well appointed office is located in the Harris hotel building. This firm is representative, trustworthy and responsible and among the foremost dealers in desirable farm lands and city property in Pontotoc county. They have a large number of fine farm tracts to which perfect titles may be made and are offering some of the choicest inside business realty and business property in the prosperous and growing city of Ada at prices that make profitable returns to investors. The firm are the owners and platters of the Capital Hill addition to the city, consisting of sixty acres laid out in acre lots with handsome avenues, nicely graded and set to trees. This addition is close in, beautiful and sightly, undisturbed to be Ada's most fashionable and desirable residence section. Now is the time to buy in this addition while acre lots can be bought for \$200 to \$400. Other important branches of the firm's business are those negotiating loans at low rates and the writing of fire insurance for which they represent one of the strongest agencies of seven well-known companies to be found in the territory. J. W. Beard, the senior member, is a Kansan who has resided in the territory 18 years. He enjoys the double distinction of being a pioneer resident as well as one of the original promoters of the townsite of Ada. R. E. Blanks is a Texan and the resident of the territory for seven years, and is a well-known business man. Both are among the most substantial, influential and esteemed citizens in the community.

CITY EQUALIZATION BOARD

Determined to Make Taxpayers Pay on Actual Value--Tedious, Exacting Work--Deplorable Lot of Tax Dodging and Under Renditions--City Needs the Money

The equalization board for the city is busily engaged this week in going over the tax rolls and equalizing taxes. S. M. Torbett, T. J. Chambliss, and Charlie Little compose this board.

Naturally it is a delicate and thankless task, but the propose to do the work conscientiously and thoroughly for the best interests of the city. As yet they are scarcely more than one-third through the rolls, but a lamentable lot of tax dodging and of grossly small renditions have been discovered. Determined this year to hew

straight to the line of reasonable cash market values, the board is "histing" the assessments pretty generally.

One thing noticeable—though bank deposits in Ada aggregate some \$300,000 scarcely \$3,000 in cash has been rendered by taxpayers composing the first eight groups in the alphabetical list. The assessed valuation, as returned by the assessor, aggregates \$931,990.60. There is far more property than that in Ada, and the public revenue needs to be considerably more than is derivable from that amount. The board is acting accordingly.

FURMAN IN THE CONVENTION

Pontotoc County Statesman Proudly Received -- Delegation is Dubbed "Noisy Delegation"--Sam McClure Chosen Committeeman

The Pontotoc Indians, 28 strong, sleepy but noisy and in a good humor, returned from Oklahoma City this a. m. Judge H. M. Furman, who headed the delegation, was one of the big men of the convention and did Pontotoc county proud. In his address before the convention he defied any democrat in Oklahoma to do more for the party and the ticket than he himself would and pledged Oklahoma that Pontotoc county would give the constitution and Haskell 3,000, if not 3,700 votes next fall. Demonstration was made when Judge Furman was discovered in the hotel lobby Monday evening and was forced to respond to cries for "Furman" in a short but well received address. In the convention

hall on Tuesday he was called for and a great ovation was given him upon his appearance. In the course of his remarks he said, "If a man is not big enough, broad enough and honest enough to accept defeat gracefully, he was not big enough, broad enough, or honest enough to serve Oklahoma in the United States Senate."

The Pontotoc delegation was among the largest in the convention and they were heard too; being dubbed "noisy Pontotoc." In a session of the delegation Tuesday morning, Sam McClure of Roff was chosen executive committeeman for Pontotoc county for the ensuing two years. Mr. McClure has been tested, is a good man and a worker, and will make a good one.

ADA NATIONAL BANK.

Our Pioneer Fiscal Institution. Some business houses take a position by storm and hold it practically by force, while others grow steadily in the favor of the public and pass more and more into regard and confidence as long as they exist. Of this class is the Ada National Bank. Established in 1900 its record has been of unbroken progress and success. The institution has been conducted upon soundest and most conservative principles and its management characterized by sagacity, energy and ability, coupled with honorable and liberal methods, closely identifying itself with the movements that have helped the onward growth of the city and county and contributing liberally to their prosperity. The bank has a capital of \$50,000 surplus and profits of \$13,500 and is ably officered by Tom Hope, Pres.; M. C. Copeland, vice-Pres.; Frank Jones, cashier, and Orville Snead, assistant cashier, and Orville board of directors which consists of the first three named, also J. W. Beard, J. F. McKeel, Z. E. Charlton, and Ella Scales, all of whom except Mr. Copeland of Center and Ella Scales of Holdenville, are citizens of Ada and among our most well-known and responsible people. The bank has all elements and business facilities possessed by any first-class institution and does a general banking business, according to all admirable courtesy and attention and its officers has caused the Ada National to become a general favorite with merchants and citizens, and given the house a high position which is easily maintained by its corps of able and progressive officers.

JAS. M. WALSH.

Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Groceries. Among the many successful and enterprising merchants of Ada there are few who have achieved the prominence and popularity in trade circles that is justly accorded to Jas. M. Walsh. Mr. Walsh conducts one of the most attractive stores in the city, his large stock being unsurpassed for superior excellence in its lines, which are those of drygoods, notions, clothing, shoes, hats, ladies ready-to-wear garments and furnishings of all descriptions and a very large and complete stock of groceries, making all in all a stock of unusual value. Mr. Walsh is a merchant who exercises the keenest judgment in the selection of his goods and in his careful and judicious buying consists the secret of his success. In nothing is his well-trained ability shown to better advantage than in the character of the goods he handles unless it is in the model and up-to-date arrangement of the same for the convenient inspection of his numerous customers and the public. Mr. Walsh has an extensive trade, his store being a favorite shopping emporium for all who appreciate standard quality, latest styles and low prices. Native of Indiana, but has been a resident of the territory for ten years founding his present business in August, 1906. In all dealings Mr. Walsh as a merchant has proven himself to be broad, liberal and enterprising as well as a citizen of high character and sterling worth.

Color Blindness.

An intelligent physician has discovered that color blindness is very rare among girls, though it is common among boys. From this fact he draws the conclusion that in most cases color blindness is due to a want of early education in discriminating colors. Girls are taught to become familiar with every shade of colors, while boys receive no instruction whatever on the subject. Hence, boys frequently exhibit an ignorance with true color blindness, but which girls rarely show.

Out of the Woods and Back.

Tramp—Madam, I have come out of the wilderness to locate work.
Lady—Humph! Well, I can give you plenty. Chop that wood and—
Tramp—Beg pardon, ma'am. I said I was merely trying to locate it. Now that I know it still exists I shall return to the wilderness.—Judge.

AVOID CONFUSION

Administrators, Guardians and others, may avoid confusions, from the mingling of private and trust funds, by opening separate accounts at this bank. Drop in and let us talk over this important matter.

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Ada, Ind. Ter.

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Organs We can sell you a good organ from \$25 to \$100. \$5 down and \$2 per month. You'll have to hurry.

Sewing Machines A few high grade ball bearing White Sewing Machines at \$22.50 while they last.

Sheet Music We are receiving new music every day. Come and try it on our pianos. Tell us your music troubles. Let us reason together.

Matthews Music Co.

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R. O. WHEEER, Manager

Andrew Carnegie

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK

PERSONAL MENTION

If you know it tell or telephone it to The News.

Ben Mason is in Stratford today.

J. B. Mosley was here from Sulphur.

W. A. Watson is here from Francis.

W. L. Reed made a trip to Ardmore today.

W. A. Spence was a visitor from Stonewall.

S. D. Lafferty of Muskogee is in Ada today.

R. J. Denton and wife were here from Davis.

Frank A. Sewell was here from Texahoma, Okla.

Wm. W. Sharpless, the Stonewall merchant spent the night in Ada.

B. C. Gilstrap and M. F. Bayless were here from Stratford last night.

H. C. Hyde and J. H. Johnson of Holdenville are Wednesday callers.

S. H. Carman returned from a three weeks' stay with home folks in Kansas.

Theo. B. Lemmon of Sapulpa and W. R. Lemon of Sherman are in the city.

J. C. Dulaney, special insurance agent, was transacting business in Ada.

Rev. G. H. Worthen of Denison is in the city making temperance speeches on the street.

James W. Cady and Mesdames W. B. and John Paschal were visitors from Atoka over night.

Little Miss Edenia Richardson came home this morning after a visit with relatives in Holdenville.

W. S. Staggs of Ahsoho called on the News today and dropped a dollar in the needy till. He says farmers in his neighborhood are getting crops in splendid shape now.

The following citizens of Midland were here on court and other matters: L. Walker, J. W. Bohannon, N. J. Warner, E. H. McClary, Gus Carlton, W. J. Collins, Tilden Dermond.

Mrs. A. T. Smith, who has been with her daughter, Mrs. Cynthia Parker, for several months, returned this morning to Mt. Vernon, Texas. Mrs. Parker accompanied her as far as Sherman.

Success in life is accompanied by increase of enemies. That's why Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has so many imitators; it's a success. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ramsey's drug store.

Mrs. John McKinley left yesterday for a visit of two months in Paris, Whitesboro, and other places in Texas.

DAM PRACTICALLY COMPLETED

Awaiting Pumps for Finishing Touch—Fast Work on Pipe Lines.

Foreman Harry Kellar, of the waterworks construction, says the building of the big dam is completed except some finishing touches about the power house which must wait for the installment of the pumping machinery. The machinery is now in transit and is daily expected.

Two gangs are rapidly laying the pipe lines from the reservoir to the water tower and from the tower to the cement plant.

First Monday Sales Day.

J. M. Raney is engaged in a laudable enterprise, that of boosting a sales day in Ada for every first Monday.

The plan is for citizens of the town to maintain an auctioneer, who shall at some convenient, designated place sell to the highest bidder all property offered. By widely advertising the sales day and providing for a free auctioneer it is thought many sellers and buyers would congregate in Ada once a month and much business benefit accrue to the city.

Pythians Elect Officers.

Tuesday night the K. of P.'s held an interesting meeting the chief feature of which was the semi-annual election of officers. These constitute the new corps of officers for the Ada lodge: C. C. J. W. Dean; V. C. U. G. Winn; Prelate, J. J. McMillan; Master of Arms, W. G. Gentry; M. of E., Orville Sneed; M. of F., F. H. Hall; M. of W., Tom Reed; Inner Guard, W. G. Blackburn, Outer Guard, H. A. Sprague; K. of R. and S., W. C. Lee.

The Methodist Revival.

Rev. W. M. P. Rippey, after ten days preaching in the Methodist revival here, resulting in much spiritual edification, left today to attend district conference at Tecumseh.

The revival will continue, Pastor T. L. Rippey doing the preaching.

Mrs. M. D. Steiner is now in the employ of the Cox-Greer-McDonald Co.

Marriage Licenses.

Walter C. Burns, 55, Fitzhugh, and Mrs. B. A. Anderson, 28, Midland.

R. F. Lilly, 23, and Zedie Murphree, 15, Francis.

A. M. Griffey, 25, and Bessie Blair, 17, Konawa.

Messrs Littrel and Vore, fore some time engaged in a special write up of Ada, having completed their work, departed this afternoon.

Mrs. C. C. Hargis is spending the week with her mother at Center.

DUFFAL & PRICE.

Fancy and Staple Groceries and Feed.

Go anywhere you may, the store that interests the public most is the retail grocer. The poor and rich alike turn to it with clock-like regularity for their table supplies and when you see a splendid new fresh stock like that of Messrs. J. W. Duffal and D. E. Price of Ada you may be assured it commands its full share of the trade. This firm carries a complete assortment of everything handled by a first-class family grocery house, including the most popular brands of table delicacies, canned and bottled goods and the exclusive handling of such excellent brands of high grade flour as "Diamond C" and Weatherford's "Best" two makes that never fail the housewife or baker, who duly appreciate good results. There is nothing in fruits, vegetables, fresh eggs and butter but may be had here if anywhere. They also handle all kinds of fresh and cured meats. The house furnishes farmers with a ready market for their surplus products at best prices and not only have extensive dealings with them but a family trade in the city of large proportions. In all respects the methods of the firm are enterprising and up-to-date and for genuine obliging service is not surpassed by all of its competitors. Mr. Duffal hails from Arkansas while Mr. Price is from Texas. They started their business about 15 months ago and have been deservingly successful in their venture as well as gaining for themselves the confidence and high regard of the entire community.

While it is said every thing is going up look at our

REDUCTIONS

Granite Wash pans, the kind usually sold at 20c this week at 5c each.

See our cut prices on Ball Mason Fruit Jars. Pints 59c a doz.; quarts 69c a doz.; half gallons 79c a doz.

Extra Jar Caps and Rubber porcelain lined 25c a doz.

Extra Jar Rubbers 5c a doz. Extra heavy jar rubbers 9c per doz.

Jelly Glasses—We have two sizes, 1/2 pints 30c per doz. 1/4 pints 25c per doz.

When you want glassware, queensware, enameledware, tinware, etc., come to see us.

Stoneware—Crocks and jars. Buy all you want here at 6c per gallon.

See our new line of Laces, only 5c per yard.

Handkerchiefs—Extra values in ladies' and gents' handkerchiefs, 5c and 10c.

Umbrellas—For ladies and gents, imitation silk, extra values for \$1.00.

Gloves—We wish to call your attention to our line of gloves. Ladies' mercerized gloves in black, white and colors, 30c a pair.

Saturday Extra Special—We are going to sell while they last another lot of those good four-strand brooms at 10c each. Sold with 25c worth of other goods, one to a customer. Come and see

The Nickel Store and China Hall.

The 5c and 10c Store of Ada S. M. SHAW, Prop.

P. C. Duncan & Co.

Real Estate, Insurance and Abstracts.

Reliance, a great word, isn't it? If it means anything it means a great deal. We should always be able to rely upon the solidity and honesty of the company or firm, and the representations made to us by the persons with whom we are dealing. In the firm of P. C. Duncan & Co., established January 1st, 1907, we find one in every way reliable and worthy the confidence of our people. They deal in insurance, farm and city loans, and abstracts, insuring life or property against any kind of loss, and handling choice bargains in farm and city property which can now be bought at very low prices as compared to the figures a year hence. They are prepared to show properties, and to those who would write the firm we may say that the answer received may be depended upon as thoroughly reliable. This firm owns a set of abstract books which perhaps are the only complete set in the county and can furnish correct abstracts on short notice. Mr. Duncan, a Tennessean, came here from Texas five years ago and engaged in merchandising. Mr. L. L. Britton, the other member of the company is a Missourian, and came here about January 1st from Joplin, and is fast gaining in popularity. Mr. Duncan is most favorably known to our people, and the public can be assured of honest, fair and business-like service from them at all times.

THE CITIZEN NATIONAL BANK.

A House of Worth and Standing.

The prosperity of a city may be judged by the number of business houses she has that may be termed "substantial" and best evidences are the condition of her banks. These are the bulwarks, the houses who advance her interests, and establish the commercial reputation that is her real life. Few banks in this section of the country hold a higher position than does the Citizens National of Ada, which was founded January 1, 1903, and is officered by J. W. Hays, Pres.; L. E. Patterson, vice-Pres.; F. O. Harris, cashier, and W. D. Hays, asst. cashier, with directors of the first three named, also Jno. P. Crawford, F. S. Hought, Mrs. L. M. Hodges, C. M. Coppedge, M. C. Lee and B. H. Epperson. The affairs of the bank have been conducted on a most liberal yet safe and efficient basis, and the

WANT COLUMN

Want ads in the News are sure to bring results.

WANTED—3 or 4 room cottage reasonably close in. Howard Parker, News office. 75-2t

Lost—A new, ivory handled, 45 Colts, long barrel, election six shooter. Liberal reward. Return to News.

FOR SALE—By O. B. Weaver good residence and business property at "pawn broker prices."

WANTED—Young man or boy to solicit circulation for the Daily and Weekly News. Apply to Business manager News. 1t

WANTED—First-class board and room in private family by couple without children. References furnished. Address postoffice box No. 196.

WANTED—Furnished cottage or rooms for housekeeping. State location and price. References furnished. Address postoffice box No. 196.

WANTED—Position by a young lady with a thorough knowledge of stenography and bookkeeping. Neat and correct in her work. Inquire at this office. 4h

FOR SALE—By O. B. Weaver improved and unimproved, both business and residence property, at a "hard up" bargain.

appreciation of their policy is reflected in the signal success enjoyed in the support and encouragement received from the city's best business interests, the customers being found among the leading firms, industries and farmers of the community. The bank has a capital of \$50,000, a surplus and profits of over \$20,000 and its affairs are in the hands of men who weigh well every act and depart not from the well trodden paths of safety, while yet extending generous treatment and aid to worthy enterprises of the community, and are men whose responsibility, high personal character and integrity inspire and merit the greatest confidence of the public.

M. L. WALSH.

Prominent Citizen and Merchant.

In every class of business there is always some one man who stands as a representative of those qualities of straightforwardness, reliability and devotion to plain, sturdy standards of commercial honor which inspire and retain public confidence. Mart Walsh came west from Indiana at an early age and has spent most of his life in the west. Since opening his business in Ada six years ago he has become a power in commercial circles and his house most popular in the line of dry goods, clothing, ladies' and gents' furnishings, hats, caps and shoes, the stock filling over 500 feet of floor space and requiring the attention of several trained salespeople to attend to the wants of an ever increasing and satisfied patronage. Mr. Walsh is one of our leading cotton buyers, and although his time is well taken up with business, he is loyal, patriotic and progressive in movements for Ada and he well deserves the success he has achieved. A liberal contributor to all charitable and public works, and thorough attention to business with a strict observance of its principles are the main factors in the prosperity enjoyed by this progressive merchant.

Are You Insured?

IF NOT, WHY NOT?

Hicks predicts tornados during the summer and fires are liable to occur at any time. Therefore you had better prepare yourself against loss by insuring in old reliable companies.

AT

O. B. WEAVER AGENCY

R. O. WHEELER, Manager

To All Our Customers, And Others:

We have bought the W. S. Akers Meat Market and have moved it into our store and will handle all kinds of meats and would be pleased to have you give us a trial.

Phone 92 for Fresh Meats and Groceries

Duffal & Price

When hot and tired and thirsty just stop at Ramsey's and make a noise like

ORANGEADE, Only 5c, Try It.

RAMSEY'S DRUG STORE

Did You Know

That the human body is composed of at least eighty (80) per cent water. If the water you drink is not pure and wholesome your system will be impaired.

We are now agents for the well known "Pal-Pinta" or Texas Carlsbad mineral water, and the now famous "Claremore Radium Water." Let us talk to you about them.

Cwin, Mays & Co.

THE DRUGGISTS.

"We run a drug store and nothing more."

NEW FRISCO TIME CARD

The following new time card is now in effect.

TIME TABLE.

North Bound.

No. 512—Eastern Express..9:35 a. m.
No. 510—Meteor.....4:55 p. m.
No. 504—St. Louis and Kansas City Passenger.....11:43 p. m.

South Bound.

No. 509—Meteor.....9:35 a. m.
No. 511—Texas Passenger..8:23 p. m.
No. 515—Sherman Express..3:05 a. m.

CITY OFFICERS.

C. O. BartonMayor
Jesse Warren,
Recorder, Assessor and Collector

Thos. P. Holt.....City Attorney
S. W. Hill.....City Treasurer

R. C. Couch.....City Marshal
E. S. Collins.....Street Commissioner

L. L. Johnson.....Water Supt.
H. Browall.....Chief Fire Dept.

Chairmen of Standing Committees
Cemetery, Sanitary and City Park,
J. T. Conn

FinanceW. C. Lee
FireR. T. Kerr
LightJ. T. Sutton

OrdinancesT. J. Chambliss
Police Enforcement of Ordinances
and ImpeachmentA. J. Deaton

Streets, Alleys, Sidewalk,
M. D. Timberlake

WaterW. H. Markham

Ada tailoring and cleaning works
east of postoffice. 48-1t

The come and go feeling that you experience after taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is simply wonderful. Drugs increase your weakness. This remedy does the business. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ramsey's drug store.

Wright and Berry, tailors, next door to postoffice, for high class work. 48-1t

LEADING PROFESSIONAL MEN

FURMAN & CROXTON

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
Will do a general Civil and Criminal Practice.
Office in Duncan Building.

C. A. Galbraith Tom D. McKeown

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LAWYERS
Over Citizens National Bank
Ada, Ind. Ter.

DR. H. T. SAFFARRANS

Dentist

In Freeman Bldg. Ada, I. T.

T. H. Granger B. H. Erb

GRANGER & ERB

DENTISTS

Rooms 1, 2 and 3 1st Nat'l Bank B'g.

DR. T. W. CHADWICK,

VETERINARY SURGEON AND DENTIST.
Is now located at
the Texas Wagon Yard.
Examination free.
Residence phone 305; Office phone 306.

HOLLISTER'S

Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets

A Busy Medicine for Busy People.

Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor.

A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver

and Kidney troubles, Pimples, Eczema, Impure

Blood, Bad Breath, Sluggish Bowels, Headache

and Backache. Its Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet

form, 35 cents a box. Genuine made by

HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis.

GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALLOW PEOPLE

Use Big 4s for unusual

discharges, inflammations,

irritations or ulcerations

of mucous membranes.

Painless, and not astringent

or poisonous.

Sold by Druggists,

or sent in plain wrapper,

by express, prepaid, for

\$1.00, or 3 bottles \$2.75.

Circular sent on request.

THE PEOPLE'S CANDIDATE

Hereby is announced the Mason Drug Co., a candidate for the most popular drug store in Pontotoc county, subject to the action and approval of all the people who want PURE DRUGS, HONEST PRICES, and a square deal. And this candidate will be an easy winner.

ADA STEAM LAUNDRY CO.

Is given up to be best. Do

Largest Agency Work

of any plant in this Territory.

Want A Bath?

Then get a good clean one, Hot or Cold, at High & Litzman's Barber Shop, next door to English Kitchen.



When you want to enjoy a good appetizing meal at a moderate charge, come to the

English Kitchen

Everything strictly first class and clean. Once you eat here you'll become a regular patron.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure by local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proved catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials.

Address: F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Takes Halls Family pills for Constipation.

Chapman Brand Shoes

STRICTLY HIGH GRADE GUARANTEED PATENT

\$5

We have the finest line of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes in Ada. You will get better satisfaction and save money in buying shoes at our exclusive shoe store.

CHAPMAN

The Shoe Man

BIG BARBECUE

AT ADA

Under management W. O. W. at LEADER GROVE one mile south of Ada.

JULY 4th

Free Barbecue and ice water for everybody in Pontotoc County. Speaking by orators of reputation and amusements of all kinds.

Come early and stay late and have a big time celebrating the glorious Fourth.



GATHERED SMILES

THE SECRET.

HE.
Have my eyes not told the secret?
That has long been in my breast?
Have you, as I lingered with you,
Never known or never guessed?
Need I beg of you to listen,
Need I grope for words to tell,
Since my glances have betrayed me,
Since you know the truth so well?

SHE.

Yes, your eyes have oft betrayed you:
All that you could tell I know:
I have learned your heart's dear secret,
You revealed it long ago:
By your sighs and by your glances
All that you could whisper now
I have learned with glad assurance—
But repeat it, anyhow.
—Chicago Record-Herald.

Scheme Didn't Work.

Mrs. Stimpurse—It's all nonsense to talk about managing a husband by silent appeals to his good nature. It can't be done. If you want anything you've got to say so right out. You know this horrid old hat I've worn for two seasons?

Mrs. Makeshift—Yes; and I suggested that you should quietly put it on and let him see you wearing it.

Mrs. Stimpurse—That's just what I did—exactly what I did; and when I proposed to walk down the town with him he said, "I'm afraid all this finery will make my old clothes look shabby!"

THERE ARE OTHERS.



"Skinnem gave me a check the other day, and it was returned to me by the bank marked 'no funds.'"

"I always told you Skinnem was a no-account fellow." — Philadelphia Press.

Nothing Doing.

There was a man in our town,
Who was rather slow,
His business kept going down—
An advertiser? No.
—Chicago Daily News.

Proof.

"Does your husband love you?" we asked.

"Madly, devotedly!" she answered.

"Are you quite sure?"

"Quite. How can I doubt? He has shut me up here in this little cage of a place, where he expects me to spend all my time, with nobody's company but his own. If he does not love me, why does he take so much trouble to make me miserable?"

"And there shone in her fine eyes the beautiful strong light of unshaken confidence." — Puck.

The Metropolitan Habit.

In an Italian mission school in New York city the teacher was giving a lesson on the life of Lincoln.

"And remember, children," she said earnestly, "when Lincoln went to school it wasn't as easy for him as it is for you. He had to walk miles and miles and miles."

"Why didn't he ask for a transfer?" asked a little boy on the front seat.

Judge.

BETWEEN FRIENDS.



"How did I look in my new ball dress last night?"

"Oh, you were simply beautiful—nobody recognized you at first." — Fliegende Blätter.

Sure!

This world is all a circus show,
Where off to gain renown
One must impersonate, you know,
A veritable clown.
—Judge.

Too Much for Pa.

Visitor—Well, Tommy, I hear you have brand-new twin sisters.

Tommy (sadly)—Yessum, that's what it is.

Visitor (surprised)—What does your father say about the dear little angels?

Tommy—He doesn't call them angels, and he doesn't say nothin'.

He just goes 'round knockin' over chairs and kickin' the dog and throwin' things at the cat. Oh, he's awful, glad I don't talk!

CUP THAT CHEERS

TEA REQUIRES MUCH CARE IN THE MAKING.

Delicious Beverage Is Too Often Spoiled by Careless Handling—Right Way to Prepare Cocoa and Chocolate—Vanilla Flavoring.

To Make Tea.—Scald the pot and never place it over the fire. A china granite, or earthen pot is the best. Allow one teaspoonful of tea to a pint of boiling water. Add the tea to the hot pot, pour on the boiling water and cover with a tea basket or cozy, as anything that will keep the heat in the pot while it is steeping is desirable. The infusion will always be heavier at the bottom of the pot, which makes it better to stir the tea before pouring, or the first cup will be weak and the last too strong. Boiled tea is very injurious, more so than boiled coffee, as it is rich in tannin.

Cocoa and chocolate are made from the cocoa bean. These are ground, mixed with sugar, and frequently arrow-root and starch. To some preparations cinnamon or vanilla is added. Chocolate is made from the bean, but contains a much larger proportion of fat than the cocoa productions. The fat obtained from the cocoa bean is cocoa butter. Cocoa and chocolate differ from tea and coffee, as they contain nutriment as well as stimulant. Theobromine, the active principle, is very much like caffeine and theine in its composition and effects.

As cocoa and chocolate contain starch it makes boiling a necessity in the preparation. If milk is added and boiled with the cocoa it is less digestible. Both chocolate and cocoa should be boiled in water and the milk simply scalded and added last. Good cocoa should be reddish brown, very fine and free from fat. Cocoa when boiled in water with scalded milk and whipped cream added is more digestible than chocolate, although chocolate would be still more digestible if it were made with water and used without cream.

A cup of chocolate with a piece of whole wheat bread makes a good breakfast for a school child.

To Make Cocoa.—Moisten four teaspoonfuls of cocoa with four table-spoonfuls of hot water, stir until smooth, then add half a pint of boiling water, bring to the boiling point, then add two tablespoonfuls of sugar and half a cupful of good milk. Take from the fire and add a few drops of vanilla, if liked. Serve at once with whipped cream.

To Make a Pot of Chocolate.—Put four ounces of chocolate in a double boiler and allow it to melt; then add a quart of boiling water and stir constantly until the water in the boiler boils for five minutes. Add a quart of scalded milk and beat well with an egg beater. Serve plain or with whipped cream. A drop or two of cinnamon or half a teaspoonful of vanilla may be added if desired.

How to Make Prune Pie.—Prune pie can be made now with a little lemon peel to give it flavor. Grate the peel and stone the prunes. Raisin pie is nice, and dates even can be made into our great American dish. Long before cherries are here nice pies can be made from canned cherries. And canned currants make a pie—that one never gets nowadays, somehow. Yet why not? Currants grow, and are brought to Philadelphia markets in generous amounts; yet they are only used sparingly for currant jelly. Currant jam is delicious for little tarts. Spiced currants are fine. The trouble is that currants come when city housekeepers here are closing their homes, or have already gone, and so none are put up. From the strawberries that are preserved in the spring to the autumn fruits there is a long gap.—Philadelphia Ledger.

To Make Indian Muffins.—Sift and mix together a pint and a half of yellow Indian meal and a half of flour. Melt a quarter of a pound of fresh butter in a quart of milk, beat four eggs very light and stir into them alternately a little at a time of each) the milk when it is quite cold, and the meal, adding a small teaspoonful of salt. The whole must be beaten long and hard.

Have the muffin rings buttered and heated before pouring the batter into them for baking. Send the muffins to the table hot and split them with the fingers for eating, as cutting with a knife will make them heavy. Eat with butter, molasses or honey.

Swiss Steak.—Get a round steak, about three inches thick; salt, pepper and flour it; take a meat pounder and keep pounding the flour in for about half an hour; use just as much flour as can be pounded in the meat. Put butter in pan, and after it gets hot put meat in and brown on both sides; then add hot water and let cook slowly, closely covered. Keep adding water until tender. If onions are liked, boil six or eight onions in salt water until tender. About 15 minutes before taking up the steak pour the onions with the liquid over the meat; cover and simmer.

Orange Jumbles.—One-half cup butter, one cup sugar creamed together. Add one beaten egg, one-third cup of milk, one tea-spoonful orange extract. Beat together, then stir in three cups of flour in which has been sifted one tea-spoonful of soda, two of cream tartar and a little salt. Roll on a floured board very thin, cut with a doughnut cutter sprinkle with sugar and bake in a moderate oven.

GOOD POLISH FOR FLOORS.

Homemade Preparation Better Than the Purchased Article.

It is cheaper to prepare your own polish for floors. To do so buy at the drug store one-half pound of white beeswax; place in a crock; pour over it one-half gallon turpentine and set on back of range until melted; remove and cool, when it should be a little thinner than vaseline; but as the little cakes of wax are sold for an ounce and are not uniform, the beginner would better try half the quantity given above and if, when cool, it is too thick, add a little more turpentine; if too thin, add more wax and melt over. Be careful no turpentine is on the edge or outside of the crock, as it may easily catch and set fire to the preparation; and for this reason if placed on the gas stove lay a stove lid over the flame. Rub this polish thinly and evenly over the entire floor; let stand to harden at least half an hour, then rub with weighted brush, beginning in the corner where the polish was first applied, as it will have had a longer time in which to harden.

CARE OF HOUSEHOLD LINEN.

Arrange in Separate Piles with Sachets of Scent Among Them.

The linen cupboard with plenty of shelves is a great convenience, but many housekeepers have to be content with storing their linen in drawers, as the scarcity of cupboards is one of the drawbacks of modern houses.

When the shelves are turned out and cleaned cover them with fresh paper when perfectly dry. Whether the linen is kept in a drawer or cupboard it should be arranged in neat piles. Tablecloths, table napkins and tray cloths in one shelf or drawer, pillowcases and towels in another.

Sachets of lavender, thyme or rose leaves should find a place among the piles of linen.

If any of the sheets show signs of wear, cut them in the middle and seam the outer edges together, so that the worn part is placed where it gets least wear. It is a good plan on a fine warm day to take all the linen which is not much used and hang it on a line for a few hours.

Stationary Ironing Board.

One of the most satisfactory ironing boards that ever I have used is a stationary board hinged to the wall in place of the usual movable one which is placed on a table or chair. The board is 54 inches long, 14 inches wide, and 1 1/4 inches thick, and is shaped in the usual manner. It has two cleats on the back to prevent warping. At its wide end it is fastened with loose pin hinges to a three-inch cleat which is screwed to the wall, so when the board is in position to use a kitchen chair will form the support for the board. When not in use the board is turned up against the wall and held in position by a hook at one side. The back of the board can be papered or painted so as to match the wall, and the cover for the board can be pinned or tied on at each ironing, as it takes but a moment to prepare for use.

Cocoanut Custard.

Bring a quart of milk to the scalding point, but do not boil. Take from the fire and stir into it the yolks of three eggs and three table-spoons of sugar that have been beaten to a cream. Stir well, put back on the fire. Thicken with one table-spoon of corn-starch, and add one cupful of shredded or grated cocoanut. When thick pour into the serving dish and let cool. Whip the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth, spread over top and let brown in the oven. Sometimes for a change instead of browning the whites whip a little rose coloring which gives them a lovely pink tinge and use a paper cone to make a fancy top.

Best Ways to Wind Wool.

Wool for knitting or crochet should never be wound very tightly into a hard ball, as this makes it thin and poor. Some good knitters merely unwind the skein into a soft heap, but this method is only possible where there is no fear of entanglement, as if the heap of wool be disturbed it soon gets into a hopeless tangle. A better plan is to wind the wool over three or four fingers of the left hand held outside the ball. These fingers should be gently withdrawn at frequent intervals to change the position of the ball, says Woman's Life. Wool thus wound is always soft and full of thread.

Rice With Mutton.

Line a buttered baking dish with a wall of rice an inch in thickness. Fill the center with cold roast or boiled mutton, chopped small and freed from bone and gristle. Season to taste. Add a little onion juice and moisten with gravy. Cover with a layer of rice and bake, covered, in a moderate oven for half an hour. Then remove the cover, spread lightly with melted butter and let stay in the oven until delicately browned. Serve hot with a tomato sauce. Chicken or veal may be used instead of the mutton.

The Service of a Formal Luncheon.

The arrangement and service of a formal luncheon are much like those for dinner, save that the bare table with ornamental doilies and centerpiece is often used. Plates for bread and butter are appropriate for luncheon. Effervescent waters are sometimes served rather than wine for this meal, especially where only women are present.—Harper's Bazar.

NEWS OF THE LABOR WORLD

The Army of the Children.
Through the dark dawn I see them
With faces pinched and cold;
With eyes that see no beauty
And garments frayed and old.

Through the dark streets an army
Of little hands, that shrink
Before the tasks that meet them
And minds too worn to think!

Through the dark streets I meet them,
And in the factories dim,
Where tears of countless children
Go speaking up to Him.

An army bruised and starving,
O Lord! before Thy gates,
A horde of little children
Upon Thy coming waits.

Again at night I see them,
With faces pinched and weak,
With heart too worn for laughter
And lips too faint to speak.

The army of the children,
Some day, O Lord shall rise
And tear the scales of darkness
From Mammon's blinded eyes.

The army of the children
No more my eyes shall see
In that great day that's coming,
When every child is free.

Till then, till then, I see them,
With faces pinched and cold,
With souls that feel no beauty
And garments frayed and old.
—Ina Lord McDavitt, in New York Sun.

Boston.—The Massachusetts state convention of the National Association of Stationary Engineers will be held in New Bedford, July 12 and 13.

Covington, Ky.—Judge Cochran, in the federal court recently upheld the law prohibiting common carriers from discriminating against labor organizations.

Bridgeport, Conn.—Machinists and tool makers to the number of 350, and their skilled assistants, in the government work shops have gone on strike.

Atlanta, Ga.—The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen reelected P. H. Morrissey grand master without opposition. The other officers also were reelected.

Chicago.—Through arbitration proceedings the Elevator Starters and Conductors' Union has secured a raise of five dollars a month in pay for its members.

St. Petersburg.—Ten thousand factory hands at Shuya, Russia, quit work and demanded the release of the noted revolutionist, Arzenius, whom the police arrested.

Cleveland, O.—The freight handlers on the docks of the Detroit & Cleveland line struck for more wages. The men have been getting 16 1/2 cents an hour and they want 20 cents.

Indianapolis, Ind.—President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America, it is announced, has been renominated for the office and will permit his nomination to stand.

Philadelphia.—The strike and lock-out of bricklayers and masons in this city, which grew out of a dispute as to the right of the granite cutters to set finished stone, has been declared off.

Boston.—According to advices from the leading cotton mill centers of southern New England fully 45,000 operatives had their wages advanced about ten per cent. beginning Monday, May 27.

Atlanta, Ga.—The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen passed resolutions denouncing what they termed a conspiracy between the governors of Idaho and Colorado in kidnapping from their homes Meyer, Haywood and Pettibone, and hurrying them into Idaho for trial, without recourse to requisition. The resolutions embodied a donation of \$500 for the defense of the accused men.

New York.—Twenty thousand telegraph operators, members of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America, are getting ready to strike. They compose, their leaders assert, 90 per cent. of the commercial operators in this country and Canada. The strike will be for a straight eight-hour day, for abolition of the discrimination which they say is made against members of their union and for higher wages. Every city in the country will be involved, but New York and Chicago will be the storm centers of the fight.

Chicago.—More strikes added to the discontent in labor circles when 350 machinists and 20 carpenters walked out because of differences with their employers. The machinists involved were employed at the Allis-Chalmers plant and by the Goss Printing Press company. One hundred and fifty machinists quit at the Allis-Chalmers shops because they had been refused an increase of 25 cents a day. Fifty electricians were thrown out of work as a result. Two hundred machinists, who failed to get a similar advance, are involved in the strike against the Goss company.

Detroit, Mich.—A strike of the ice handlers of this city for an increase in wages from \$17.50 per week to \$19.50, resulted in Detroit being iceless.

Washington.—An organization which will have control of all workers in the glass trade, whether in the window, flint or bottle departments, is the ambitious scheme that some of the prominent union men have in view. This idea has been advanced before and has never met with any very striking success, but it is claimed that the time is now ripe, or nearly so, for its consummation.

Berlin.—The threatened lockout of

Boston.—Miss Mattie A. Gillispie was elected one of the four delegates to the I. T. U. international convention at Hot Springs this summer. She is the first woman ever elected by an eastern union.

Washington.—An estimate furnished by a statistician gives the number of men killed in the daily pursuit of their callings, largely skilled and unskilled laborers, for the last four years, at 80,000 men, or 20,000 annually.

Mobile, Ala.—All the building contractors of Mobile put their establishments on the open shop basis, according to a previous agreement. As a result about 1,500 men in the building trades failed to show up for work.

Chicago.—Summing up the work of last year Secretary Frank Duffy of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters reports that in sick benefits alone there was paid out the sum of \$107,000, while the death and disability benefits, in the same time, amounted to \$218,202.18.

Chicago.—One thousand employees of the Elgin, Joliet & Eastern and the Chicago, Lake Shore & Eastern railroads, owned by the United States Steel corporation, were surprised to find their pay had been increased, dating from May 1. The total increase on the two roads will aggregate \$55,000 a year. Of this amount Joliet employees will get \$30,000. The remainder goes monthly to employees at South Chicago.

Rome, Italy.—Agricultural laborers at Agenta, in the province of Ferrara, Italy, have been on strike for six weeks for a more equitable division of labor and wages. So resolute is the entire population in its resistance to the former proprietors that mothers of families, nearly all of whom profess socialist principles, have sent away from the zone of conflict 1,700 babies to be cared for in artisan households of upper Italy.

Chicago.—One labor organization of which little has been heard, and from which much is expected, is the Provision Trades council of Chicago and vicinity, organized last March, and now representing more than 15,000 men employed in producing or handling provisions. President McKenzie of the council was born in Green Bay, Wis., June 4, 1877, and came to Chicago 14 years ago. He has been a member of the Chicago Waters' union, local No. 336, since it was organized in 1901.



R. H. McKenzie.

He was elected president of the union in 1901, and served for two years. In 1905 he was elected business agent, and has held that position ever since.

Toledo, O.—The scale placing all the men in the steel, iron and tin mills on the tonnage basis and the sliding scale schedule was adopted by the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers, in convention here. Prior to the closing of the convention President McArthur will appoint a scale committee to present the scale to the employers.

Toledo, O.—The new wage scale for the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers provides for an advance of seven and one-half per cent. all along the line in the finishing departments. Indications are that this section of the scale will be adopted and will be the scale presented to the employers. An advance is also asked for the puddlers.

Aurora, Ill.—The freight handlers of the Burlington freighthouse here struck for an increase of ten per cent. in wages. The men were getting 15 cents an hour. One of the men said: "It is dead, wrong for us, born here in this country and obeying all injunctions that go with our rights as American citizens, to work for \$1.50 a day when foreigners are being paid \$1.65 by the Burlington."

Allentown, Pa.—The Atlas Cement company, the largest concern of its kind in the world, shut down two of its mills on May 28. The shutdown throws 2,500 men out of employment. It is also stated that other mills of the company will be run on half time only for a time.

New York.—It was announced recently that an international strike of painters has started in the leading cities of the United States and Canada. Eighty thousand men have been notified to stop working for New York firms having contracts in outside cities until a uniform wage rate is granted.

London, England.—The number of

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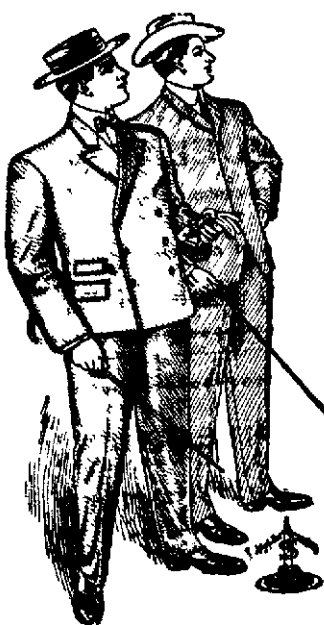
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We Want Young Men



Young men who have graduated from short pants and who are full of ideas about clothes. We want them to see the choice pickings we've made in their interest from **KIRSCHBAUM'S** spring and summer style. We figure that every young man who buys a suit of these makes from us this spring will be a walking and talking ad for us. He will have reason to be after the value he gets from us for his \$7.50, \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$17.50 OR \$20.00. Straw Hats Fancy Neckwear, Fancy Summer Underwear, Negligee Shirts. In fact everything in furnishings for men and young men.

Cox-Greer-McDonald Co.

IT'S A DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM

State Convention Pledges the Party to Policy of Putting Farmers in Occupancy of all Land--Good Roads--Separate Schools and Coaches--Control of Corporations--Prohibition Non-Partisan Question

Oklahoma City, June 18.—(Convention Hall).—The democratic state convention which convened here today to ratify nominations made in the primary succeeded in adopting the platform shortly after midnight after a struggle over an expression on prohibition. All day the platform committee was in session urging a positive declaration on the subject as has heretofore been indicated.

The committee report which was unanimously submitted gave an expression believed to be satisfactory, but Tom Owen of Muskogee acting for the delegation from his town asked for a more specific declaration of enforcement in case statewide prohibition became a law. Oklahoma county led by E. J. Giddings formerly of Birmingham Texas now of Oklahoma City and George Henshaw of Madill made the fight against the Owen resolution which was finally voted down.

At midnight formal nominations were begun. Oklahoma City June 18.—Immediately following the Bryan speech this morning temporary organization of the state democratic convention was placed in charge of William H. Murray of Tahlequah and W. T. Field of El Reno as chairman and secretary. Chairman Murray who is also president of the Constitutional convention spoke at some length on what the constitution contained. Many of the provisions which he stated had been grossly misrepresented, were explained in detail and comparisons made with present conditions. Referring to the state-wide prohibition feature to be separately submitted to the voters with the constitution the chairman sounded the warning that no matter what the result might be the democratic party would enforce all laws to the letter.

We have been warned that it will be necessary to change some of the constitutional cardinal principles in order to secure statehood, said Mr. Murray, and I want to say what ever will be necessary will be done. But statehood deferred for a decade the people would elect delegates they know would enact a constitution containing the principles now in this one.

Mr. Murray nominated Bryan for the presidency in 1908.

Preliminary organization consisted in the appointment of committees on resolutions platform and rules and permanent organization selection being made from judicial districts.

The convention gavel is made of hickory cut from the homestead of Andrew Jackson the seventh president of the United States.

While the committee were at work speeches were heard from C. B. Ames of Oklahoma City Charles Madison of Muskogee Henry Furman of Ada Clint Worral of Holart and Lee Cruse of Ardmore. Mr. Ames announced that he was a corporation attorney but there was nothing in the constitution which honest corporations could fear. At the night session these officers

took charge of the permanent organization. Judge R. A. Billups of Washita county chairman Gabe Parker Bryan county secretary, N. A. Gordon, Oklahoma county and B. J. Waugh, Pontotoc county reading clerks J. High-tower, Canadian county, sergeant at arms C. W. Meeks Pittsburg county, I. G. Watts, Sequoyah county, assistants. There contests among three delegations.

The platform submitted to the convention endorsed the constitution and accepted it as the platform of the party. Urged sale of the school lands as soon as practicable preference right being given to the lessee. Favors sale of the segregated coal and asphalt lands of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nation at a fair price subject to the ratification by the people. Favors sale of the surface lands to actual settlers and urges that private monopoly be prevented from acquiring the timber lands of the new state. In strong language the removal of restrictions from all except the homesteads of the full-blood Indians is endorsed and it is said there will be immediate distribution of the tribal funds. Pledges the passage by the legislature of a satisfactory road law and endorses the constitutional convention resolution pledging the legislature to enact a law for the separation of schools for whites and colored children. On the prohibition question the platform declares that such is removed from partisan politics and relegated to the people according to the principles of the referendum. Following this is a specific declaration that if the party is given the reins of government it is pledged to the full execution of all provisions of the constitution and all laws. It favors control of public service and transmission companies. Bryan was endorsed for president in 1908.

Upon the question of adoption Tom Owen of Muskogee asked an amendment to the prohibition section that if the democratic party is entrusted with power it will not only request but enforce the will of the people in this regard.

Owen took the floor and urged the party to take a position in the open in advocacy of law enforcement.

George Henshaw of Madill and E. J. Giddings of Oklahoma City opposed any change in the platform which the committee had reported unanimously. Moman Pruitt of Pauls Valley presented a resolution recognizing the Anti-Saloon League as a factor in the recent governor race and endorsing the state wide prohibition. This was ruled out of order.

On the adoption of the Owen resolution the roll was called and the vote stood 398 for 716 against. The platform was then adopted without change.

At midnight formal nominations were begun. Roy Hoffman of Chandler nominated T. P. Gore of Lawton for United States senator.

25 Per Cent From the Regular Price

This sale will positively last no longer than Saturday, June 22.

See what you can save by taking advantage of the discount

Blue Sarges in two pieces, our former price	\$12.50	3-Piece suits, our former price	\$10.00
On sale now for	\$9.38	Now on sale for	\$7.50
Our suits in two pieces, former price	\$15.00	Our 3-piece suits, former price	\$7.50
Now on sale for	\$11.25	Now on sale for	\$5.63

Just received the Silver Brand up-to-date Negligee Shirts, and the Gold Brand

\$1.00 and \$1.50

I. HARRIS.

CELEBRATE at ROFF

Everybody invited to come. All Fraternal Orders are invited to take part. Come early, help swell the crowd and have a good time.

SPECIAL RATES ON ALL RAILROADS

Something Needed Portland Park Addition

Lots near the big Cement Plant to accommodate the hundreds of laborers to be employed in this great industry. This need has been met by laying out the Portland Park Addition just west of the cement plant. Lots are 30 feet by 140, with 60-foot streets and 20-foot alleys. Prices of lots are from \$20 to \$30. Terms, \$5 down and \$2 per month. A large reservoir is to be built on the north side by the cement company which will afford boating and fishing.

The Title is Perfect and the Location Sightly and Healthful. Get on Easy Street by Buying Lots in Portland Park. Homes in the Reach of All in Portland Park Addition. Plant your Money in Portland Park and let it Grow.

Real Estate is the foundation of wealth--it's safe and sure. Get in on the ground floor at Portland Park.

Only room for 80 families in Portland Park while hundreds will be needed. This is the only land that will be available for years. Have you seen Ada lots advance one hundred and even one thousand per cent, while you waited to see what the town would do? Take a turn to yourself and buy lots in Portland Park. These lots are being sold at half their real value and on terms within the reach of all.

Ada Title and Trust Co.

"LET THE PEOPLE RULE"

That's the Slogan for Oklahoma Democracy---Best Constitution Ever, Says Bryan--Commoner Arouses Great Enthusiasm at State Convention.

Oklahoma City June 18.—Convention Hall packed from gallery to pit, was the slogan he sounded, and after greeted with marked exultation. William Jennings Bryan of Nebraska who upon invitation of the democratic committee stopped in Oklahoma City today long enough to strike the keynote of the campaign which the dem-

ocrats are launching in their new state convention. Let the people rule was the slogan he sounded, and after characterizing it as a fitting emblem for the new state to follow, pitched the same motto for the national campaign for 1908. While at times the mass of humanity assembled were

swept to the limit of enthusiasm there was never the less an apparent languor in the speaker's words and the stamp of weariness was upon his brow that told of the almost sleepless hours of travel in campaigning and lecturing.

Yesterday the Bryan who carried the people off their feet in the Chicago convention in 1896 which gave him the presidential nomination and recognized in the sentiment he expressed, and received and applauded in much the same spirit today. Although only speaking forty minutes he told the convention much about the proposed constitution which he pronounced as the best ever drafted by the hands of men. It was with difficulty that he made his way to the waiting vehicle after his address so vast was the crowd rushing to the stage to extend hearty congratulations.

When the visitor and party first appeared in the hall the usual demonstrations followed. Dismissing preliminaries Chairman Thompson introduced E. L. Fulton of Oklahoma City, a former resident of Bryan's Nebraska district who made the presentation speech. Reference to him as the next president of the United States was the signal for wild cheering and when the party form of the guest was observed in speaking attitude delegates mounted chairs and yelled lustily waving standards and flags.

The prospects of the democratic party in this state are so good, said the speaker, that if anything you have frightened the republicans too soon. You have the best constitution in the United States, a better one than that of the United States. It is one of the best documents of human liberty ever drafted by men. Its purity of principle is much like that of a little child who prayed the Lord to make her life pure like baking powder. A newspaper in the east said the constitution had been drafted by a lot of corn-fed lawyers and after reading it I congratulated them for having put tied up the holes usually employed by trust fed attorneys.

Let us make the key note, 'Let the people rule. It is not only good here but I want to see it occupy a place in the next national campaign and I know of no better or more appropriate slogan.

Oklahoma is not afraid to trust the people for her sovereign representatives have made a constitution under which the people can control the government. I find that you placed therein clauses checking advances which experience has shown us are dangerous. You have placed a limit upon municipal franchisees, and followed the splendid example of permitting no exclusive franchise until the people speak with authority. The initiative and referendum has been most valuable applied to city affairs and why not of equal value applied to state governments? If the citizen holds in check the government at home why should not the same citizen hold in check the government at the state capital? There are less objectionable features to the Oklahoma constitution than to any I know of, but of the many good things there is that which tells the people if there is anything they don't like they may change it at

will and I fail to understand how any republican cannot fail to vote for such a liberal document. If I do not miss my guess the people will adopt the constitution irrespective of intimidation or republican opposition and if I were selfish or had at interest only the democratic party I would say to Washington Keep it out for while we would lose seven editorial votes in the next National college we would gain many times that amount from states eager to rebuke an act of political perfidy.

Kansas Illinois Iowa and Indiana all of which have sons daughters, and relatives in this new and prosperous country would turn the tide of their power to a people so grossly oppressed and Ohio which in the way, has made a valuable contribution to your state.

In an instant the name of Haskell swept over the hall while the flags and standards again came into play. Yes in Ohio too Mr. Bryan continued has sent her honored son here. Let them turn this constitution down and we will have Haskell clubs in Ohio from one end to the other.

After telling that democracy's prospects were growing brighter for national success in 1908 and paying a tribute to Thomas Jefferson as the father of democracy who builded wiser than he knew Mr. Bryan was whisked in an automobile to the K & T depot where the regular train had been held to carry him to Bartlesville, I. T.

Mr. Bryan's speech was not only opportune, said Chairman Thompson tonight, but will start us right in inaugurating a winning campaign for Haskell and the constitution.

THE FAMOUS TELEGRAMS

McKeown and Bolen Wire their "constituents" at Home.

Tom D. McKeown Mr. Cruce's campaign manager for Pontotoc county, sent the following message out from Oklahoma last night.

Oklahoma City, Okla., June 18 1907. To Cruce Supporters, Pontotoc County. We met Haskell's brigade and we are theirs.

Tom D. McKeown.

Another Message.

W. Bolen Mr. Haskell's Manager for Pontotoc county, also sends a message that reads like this:

To Haskell's Supporters, Pontotoc County.

We met Cruce's brigade and they are "ours."

J. W. Bolen.

But now the battle is over, Mr. Cruce gave his word to Mr. Haskell, and Mr. Haskell returned it to him. Mr. Cruce's lieutenants are now Mr. Haskell's lieutenants and now it is one big, grand invincible army of democrats sworn to whip the common enemy at the polls next fall.

Read The News Want Ads.

Ada Evening News

OTIS B. WEAVER, Editor and Owner
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PONIES WERE FOUND GUILTY

They Hauled Booze and Got Confiscated by Government.

Muskogee, I. T. June 18.—A new departure was taken from the accustomed method of the United States officers in Indian Territory for the suppression of bootlegging whisky, when William E. Johnson, special officer of the government for this purpose, arrested two ponies which were hitched to a light wagon near Sapulpa a few days ago, in which there was a large supply of whisky. The charge against the ponies was the aiding and abetting in the introduction of spirituous liquors and various malts into the Territory contrary to the laws of the United States. The ponies were sold by order of the court to the highest bidder for cash by the United States Marshal of the western district and bought by G. D. Sleeper of Wagoner, I. T.

According to the law against introducing, all horses, conveyances, etc., may be confiscated and sold by order of the court, hence the proceeding.

Progress in Oil Fields.

Tulsa, I. T. June 18.—With the production of oil in Indian Territory, greater by far than can be handled by all the purchasing agencies with the means at hand, the oil men concede that the price will not go up under present conditions. In fact, were it not for the prospect of relief when two independent pipe lines to the gulf are completed the price might rather be expected to take a drop. The maximum grade of Indian Territory oil commands a price of 41 cents a barrel, when Pennsylvania oil of similar grade brings over \$1.50 per barrel.

Indian Territory is now producing between 150,000 and 200,000 barrels of oil per day. This is a marvelous production as it now stands, but with the advent with the Morris field which is destined to be a great pool, possibly equal to the Glenn pool, the product of oil in the Indian Territory will be greatly increased. It is very likely bulk of oil produced in America will soon come from this section of the country.

The Gulf Pipe Line Company's line to the gulf is all down in Indian Territory and the Texas end is nearing completion which means that the gulf company's line will be in operation within a few weeks. The Texas company's line is being rushed to completion and the two pipe lines, from present appearances, will be completed almost simultaneously.

NEWS FROM SULPHUR

Notes of Interest Gathered By The News Correspondent.

Sulphur, I. T. June 18.—Murray county's seventeen delegates to the democratic state convention left for Oklahoma City headed by Miss Essie Bell. Miss Bell is the democratic nominee for county superintendent, having received more votes than both her male opponents.

Delegates to the Oklahoma Annual League Conference of the Methodist church which will be held in this city Wednesday and Thursday, are arriving. There will be about 200 delegates in attendance. Rev. T. L. Rippey of Ada will preach the opening sermon Tuesday night.

Great preparations are being made for the Epworth League Chautauqua which opens on the 26th of this month, with W. J. Bryan as first orator. Much Chautauqua literature is being broadcasted over the two territories and Kansas, Arkansas and Texas. Excursions are being arranged for "Bryan Day." One and one-third fare tickets

will be on sale at all stations on the Santa Fe and Frisco.

The Frisco has gotten out a beautifully illustrated booklet advertising Sulphur and Platt Park as the greatest health and pleasure resort on the Frisco lines. Both the Frisco and Santa Fe have put in their folders illustrating matter advertising Sulphur, and their all-through year-round low rates to this resort.

CENTER NEWS NOTES.

Farmers are very thankful for the warm, dry weather. Cotton is small and oats are getting ready for harvest.

Mr. Krieger is trying to get up a fishing party to go on Salt Creek. Judge Hilton and Mr. Tully are coarsmen, and B. C. King as the pilot. None but defeated candidates needed on this fishing bee. Laugh and go afoot. He says it takes a brave man to stand prosperly, but a hero to laugh at defeat.

Johnny Hurt, better known as "Blind Johnny" is in Center teaching a music school. He says his aunt has entirely lost her mind. Aunt Hurt lived in Center a long time. We are very sorry that she has lost her mind. It makes it doubly hard on Johnny's wife, with a blind husband and an insane person—besides three small children to take care of. There is a good work for Christian people. Any help rendered will be thankfully received by the distressed family. We hope this appeal will reach the hearts of many and that help will be forth coming for them.

Mr. Bumpers went to Dallas, Texas, last week.

Mrs. Brown wet to Maud on Monday.

Miss Winnie Rader is visiting her aunts, Mrs. Lilla Copeland and Mrs. Kate Austell.

B. H. Lowry and wife and F. C. Krieger and wife were shopping in Ada Monday.

Will Stewart of Selma, I. T., is visiting his uncle, Mr. George Ingram.

Rev. Brundage of Ada filled the Baptist pulpit Saturday night and Sunday. Good crowd and good attention was had at every service.

Frying chickens are almost ripe in and around Center.

Mrs. Moles has been sick for several days.

John Rick has a very sick child with typhoid fever.

Hurrah for Haskell.

BEARD & BLANKS.

Real Estate, Loans and Insurance.

Reality is the basis of all security, but in this as in all other pursuits much depends upon the knowledge and probity of those through whom transactions of this character are conducted. Prudent buyers secure services of men of judgment, experience and standing for honesty and integrity to negotiate purchases, that they may know such incidental and important matters as the investigation of title, preparation of transfer papers, etc., will be carefully attended to. Among those prominently engaged in handling real estate, the placing of loans and insurance in Ada is the well known firm of Messrs. J. W. Heard and J. E. Blanks, whose convenient and well appointed office is located in the Harris hotel building. This firm is representative, trustworthy and responsible and among the foremost dealers in desirable farm lands and city property in Pontotoc county. They have a large number of fine farm tracts to which perfect titles may be made and are offering some of the choicest inside business realty and business property in the prosperous and growing city of Ada at prices that make profitable returns to investors. The firm are the owners and platters of the Capital Hill addition to the city, consisting of sixty acres laid out in acre lots with handsome avenues, nicely graded and set to trees. This addition is close in, beautiful and slightly, and destined to be Ada's most fashionable and desirable residence section. Now is the time to buy in this addition while acre lots can be bought for \$200 to \$400. Other important branches of the firm's business are those negotiating loans at low rates and the writing of fire insurance for which they represent one of the strongest agencies of seven well-known companies to be found in the territory. J. W. Heard, the senior member, is a Kansan who has resided in the territory 18 years. He enjoys the double distinction of being a pioneer resident as well as one of the original promoters of the townsite of Ada. R. E. Blanks is a Texan and the resident of the territory for seven years, and is a well-known business man. Both are among the most substantial, influential and esteemed citizens in the community.

CITY EQUALIZATION BOARD

Determined to Make Taxpayers Pay on Actual Value--Tedious, Exacting Work--Deplorable Lot of Tax Dodging and Under Renditions--City Needs the Money

The equalization board for the city is busily engaged this week in going over the tax rolls and equalizing taxes. S. M. Torbett, T. J. Chambliss, and Charlie Little compose this board.

Naturally it is a delicate and thankless task, but the propose to do the work conscientiously and thoroughly for the best interests of the city. As yet they are scarcely more than one-third through the rolls, but a lamentable lot of tax dodging and of grossly small renditions have been discovered. Determined this year to hew

straight to the line of reasonable cash market values, the board is "hitting" the assessments pretty generally.

One thing noticeable—though bank deposits in Ada aggregate some \$300,000 scarcely \$3,000 in cash has been rendered by taxpayers composing the first eight groups in the alphabetical list. The assessed valuation, as returned by the assessor, aggregates \$931,990.60. There is far more property than that in Ada, and the public revenue needs to be considerably more than is derivable from that amount. The board is acting accordingly.

FURMAN IN THE CONVENTION

Pontotoc County Statesman Proudly Received -- Delegation -- is Dubbed "Noisy Delegation"--Sam McClure Chosen Committeeman

The Pontotoc Indians, 28 strong, sleepy but noisy and in a good humor, returned from Oklahoma City this morning. Judge H. M. Furman, who headed the delegation, was one of the big men of the convention and did Pontotoc county proud. In his address before the convention he defied any democrat in Oklahoma to do more for the party and the ticket than he himself would and pledged Oklahoma that Pontotoc county would give the constitution and Haskell 3,000, if not 3,700 votes next fall. Demonstration was made when Judge Furman was discovered in the hotel lobby Monday evening and was forced to respond to cries for "Furman" in a short but well received address. In the convention

hall on Tuesday he was called for and a great ovation was given him upon his appearance. In the course of his remarks he said, "If a man is not big enough, broad enough and honest enough to accept defeat gracefully, he was not big enough, broad enough, or honest enough to serve Oklahoma in the United States Senate."

The Pontotoc delegation was among the largest in the convention and they were heard too, being dubbed "noisy Pontotoc." In a session of the delegation Tuesday morning, Sam McClure of Roff was chosen executive committeeman for Pontotoc county for the ensuing two years. Mr. McClure has been tested, is a good man and a worker, and will make a good one.

ADA NATIONAL BANK.

Our Pioneer Fiscal Institution.

Some business houses take a position by storm and hold it practically by force, while others grow steadily in the favor of the public and pass more and more into regard and confidence as long as they exist. Of this class is the Ada National Bank. Established in 1900 its record has been of unbroken progress and success. The institution has been conducted upon soundest and most conservative principles and its management characterized by sagacity, energy and ability, coupled with honorable and liberal methods, closely identifying itself with the movements that have helped the onward growth of the city and county and contributing liberally to their prosperity. The bank has a capital of \$50,000 surplus and profits of \$13,500 and is ably officered by Tom Hope, Pres.; M. C. Copeland, vice-Pres.; Frank Jones, cashier, and Orville Snow, assistant cashier, and Orville Snow, assistant cashier, which consists of the first three named, also J. W. Beard, J. E. McKee, Z. E. Charlton, and Ella Seales, all of whom except Mr. Copeland of Center and Ella Seales of Holdenville, are citizens of Ada and among our most well-known and responsible people. The bank has all elements and business facilities possessed by any first-class institution and does a general banking business, according to all admirable courtesy and attention and this together with the popularity of its officers has caused the Ada National to become a general favorite with merchants and citizens, and given the house a high position which is easily maintained by its corps of able and progressive officers.

JAS. M. WALSH.

Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Groceries. Among the many successful and enterprising merchants of Ada there are few who have achieved the prominence and popularity in trade circles that is justly accorded to Jas. M. Walsh. Mr. Walsh conducts one of the most attractive stores in the city, his large stock being unsurpassed for superior excellence in its lines, which are those of dry goods, notions, clothing, shoes, hats, ladies' ready-to-wear garments and furnishings of all descriptions and a very large and complete stock of groceries making all in all a stock of unusual value. Mr. Walsh is a merchant who exercises the keenest judgment in the selection of his goods and in his careful and judicious buying consists the secret of his success. In nothing is his well-trained ability shown to better advantage than in the character of the goods he handles unless it is in the model and up-to-date arrangement of the same for the convenient inspection of his numerous customers and the public. Mr. Walsh has an extensive trade, his store being a favorite shopping emporium for all who appreciate standard quality, latest styles and low prices. Native of Indiana, but for ten years founding his present business in August, 1900. In all dealings Mr. Walsh as a merchant has proven himself to be broad, liberal and enterprising as well as a citizen of high character and sterling worth.

W. C. DUNCAN.

High-Class Furniture and Undertaking Establishment.

In these days so much pride is taken in the furnishing home, fine furniture has become indispensable to all who desire to keep up with the progressive spirit of the age. The city of Ada can lay claim to having many business houses which do credit to the respective departments of trade they so well represent, but none occupies a more prominent position or commands more favorable consideration among its customers and the public at large than does the big furniture, carpet and undertaking establishment of W. C. Duncan. Founded by the present proprietor six years ago, it has since been distinguished for its steady progress, strict reliability, and honorable success. It has ever been the constant endeavor of Mr. Duncan to meet the wishes of his patrons in design, beauty and finish as well as to those essential qualities, so often lacking, namely, durability and completeness of workmanship. His stock of furniture is not only of the largest in the country but comprises goods of superior quality. He handles everything from an ordinary chair to beautiful parlor and chamber suits, library and kitchen furniture in greatest assortment as well as carpets, rugs, matting, lace curtains and draperies in all the prevailing patterns and fashionable weaves. In fact he is prepared to furnish up a home be it humble cottage or palatial residence from half entrance to garret in either plain or luxurious style at lowest cost. The undertaking department of this establishment is especially worthy of mention. Mr. Duncan carries a full line of the best goods made, comprising caskets, coffins robes, and all the paraphernalia and accessories required for conducting a funeral in the most acceptable manner. In whatever capacity this enterprising and progressive merchant serves his customers he has the satisfaction of knowing that his reliability and commercial integrity in this community is unquestioned.

Color Blindness.

An intelligent physician has discovered that color blindness is very rare among girls, though it is common among boys. From this fact he draws the conclusion that in most cases color blindness is due to a want of early education in discriminating colors. Girls are taught to become familiar with every shade of colors, while boys receive no instruction whatever on the subject. Hence, boys frequently exhibit an ignorance with true color blindness, but which girls rarely show.

Out of the Woods and Back.

Tramp--Madam, I have come out of the wilderness to locate work.

Lady--Humph! Well, I can give you plenty. Chop that wood and--

Tramp--Beg pardon, ma'am. I said I was merely trying to locate it. Now that I know it still exists I shall return to the wilderness.--Judge.

AVOID CONFUSION

Administrators, Guardians and others, may avoid confusions, from the mingling of private and trust funds, by opening separate accounts at this bank. Drop in and let us talk over this important matter.

Ada National Bank

Ada, Ind. Ter.

Our Stockholders have a combined wealth of over \$500,000.00.

The Long Distance Telephone

USE IT TODAY AND SAVE DELAY

Other ways of transacting your affairs cannot compare with it in HIGH VALUE LOW PRICE QUICK SERVICE. 'Tis the comprehensive means of communication.

PIONEER TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CO.

Telephone Directory.

The New Telephone Directory is being prepared for the Printer. We want your name to appear correctly. Any changes you desire, notify the Manager.

PIONEER TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO.

CAPITOL HILL • LOTS ON EASY PAYMENT PLAN

Capitol Hill

Acres will be best residence property. Close in; shade trees on every street

Beard & Blanks

Office 1st Door West Harris Hotel

We keep a full line of prescription goods. We know how and can fill any prescription. We don't substitute. We deliver.

Crescent Drug Store

Dr. F. Z. Holley, Prop.

(AN OLD AND ESTABLISHED HOUSE)

ARMSTRONG, BYRD & CO

OF OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA.

Have been established in the PIANO and ORGAN business in Oklahoma and Indian Territories for ten years. They are the largest music house in the Southwest, and carry a magnificent line of thirty-two of the best known and most reliable makes of Pianos. They sell from \$50.00 to \$75.00 cheaper than any other firm sell Pianos of the same grade and quality.

IF I THE MARKET FOR A PIANO FIGURE WITH THEM

Pianos We have just received several late styles and would be glad to have you call and inspect.

Organs We can sell you a good organ from \$25 to \$100, \$5 down and \$2 per month. You'll have to hurry.

Sewing Machines A few high grade ball bearing White Sewing Machines at \$22.50 while they last.

Sheet Music We are receiving new music every day. Come and try it on our pianos. Tell us your music troubles. Let us reason together.

Matthews Music Co.

Main Street

Money Made

In buying city lots, improved and unimproved. Now is the time to buy as property valuations are increasing daily. We can show you some fine bargains.

O. B. WEAVER AGENCY

R. O. WHEELER, Manager

Andrew Carnegie

the best way to secure money is to resolutely save and bank a fixed portion of your income, no matter how small the amount. Suppose you follow the advice of Carnegie who started in life poor and open an account with

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

PERSONAL MENTION

If you know it tell or telephone it to The News.

Ben Mason is in Stratford today.

J. B. Mosley was here from Sulphur.

W. A. Watson is here from Francis.

W. L. Reed made a trip to Ardmore today.

W. A. Spence was a visitor from Stonewall.

S. D. Lafferty of Muskogee is in Ada today.

R. Denton and wife were here from Davis.

Frank A. Sewell was here from Texahoma, Okla.

Wm. W. Sharpless, the Stonewall merchant spent the night in Ada.

B. C. Gilstrap and M. F. Bayless were here from Stratford last night.

H. C. Hyde and J. H. Johnson of Holdenville are Wednesday callers.

S. H. Carmean returned from a three weeks' stay with home folks in Kansas.

Theo. B. Lemmon of Sapulpa and W. R. Lemon of Sherman are in the city.

J. C. Dulaney, special insurance agent, was transacting business in Ada.

Rev. G. H. Worthen of Denison is to the city making temperance speeches on the street.

James W. Cady and Mesdames W. B. and John Paschal were visitors from Atoka over night.

Little Miss Edwila Richardson came home this morning after a visit with relatives in Holdenville.

W. S. Stagg of Ables called on the News today and dropped a dollar in the needy till. He says farmers in his neighborhood are getting crops in splendid shape now.

The following citizens of Midland were here on court and other matters: Walker, J. W. Bohannon, N. J. Warner, E. H. McClary, Gus Carlton, W. J. Collins, Tilden Dermond.

Mrs. A. T. Smith, who has been with her daughter, Mrs. Cynthia Parker, for several months, returned this morning to Mt. Vernon, Texas. Mrs. Parker accompanied her as far as Sherman.

Success in life is accompanied by increase of enemies. That's why Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has so many imitators; it's a success. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ramsey's drug store.

Mrs. John McKinley left yesterday for a visit of two months in Paris, Whitesboro, and other places in Texas.

Chapman Brand Shoes

STRICTLY HIGH GRADE GUARANTEED PATENT

\$5

We have the finest line of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes in Ada. You will get better satisfaction and save money in buying shoes at our exclusive shoe store.

CHAPMAN

The Shoe Man

DAM PRACTICALLY COMPLETED

Awaiting Pumps for Finishing Touch—Fast Work on Pipe Lines.

Foreman Harry Kellar, of the waterworks construction, says the building of the big dam is completed except some finishing touches about the power house which must wait for the installment of the pumping machinery. The machinery is now in transit and is daily expected.

Two gangs are rapidly laying the pipe lines from the reservoir to the water tower and from the tower to the cement plant.

First Monday Sales Day.

J. M. Roney is engaged in a laudable enterprise, that of boosting a sales day in Ada for every first Monday.

The plan is for citizens of the town to maintain an auctioneer, who shall at some convenient, designated place sell to the highest bidder all property offered. By widely advertising the sales day and providing for a free auctioneer it is thought many sellers and buyers would congregate in Ada once a month and much business benefit accrue to the city.

Pythians Elect Officers.

Tuesday night the K. of P.'s held an interesting meeting the chief feature of which was the semi-annual election of officers. These constitute the new corps of officers for the Ada lodge:

C. C. J. W. Dean, V. C. U. G. Winn; Prelate, J. J. McMillan; Master of Arts, W. G. Gentry, M. of E. Orville Sneed; M. of P. F. H. Hall; M. of W. Tom Reed; Inner Guard, W. G. Blackburn, Outer Guard, H. A. Sprague; K. of R. and S., W. C. Lee.

The Methodist Revival.

Rev. W. M. P. Rippey, after ten days preaching in the Methodist revival here, resulting in much spiritual edification, left today to attend district conference at Tecumseh.

The revival will continue. Pastor T. L. Rippey doing the preaching.

Mrs. M. D. Steiner is now in the employ of the Cox-Greer-McDonald Co.

Marriage Licenses.

Walter C. Burns, 35, Fitzhugh, and Mrs. B. A. Anderson, 28, Midland. R. F. Lilly, 23, and Zedie Murphree, 15, Francis. A. M. Griffith, 25, and Bessie Blair, 17, Konawa.

Messrs. Little and Vore, fore some time engaged in a special write up of Ada, having completed their work, departed this afternoon.

Mrs. C. C. Hargis is spending the week with her mother at Center.

DIFFULT & PRICE.

Fancy and Staple Groceries and Feed.

Go anywhere you may, the store that interests the public most is the retail grocer. The poor and rich alike turn to it with clock-like regularity for their table supplies and when you see a splendid new fresh stock like that of Messrs. J. W. Duffal and D. E. Price of Ada you may be assured it commands its full share of the trade. This firm carries a complete assortment of everything handled by a first-class family grocery house, including the most popular brands of table delicacies, canned and bottled goods and the exclusive handling of such excellent brands of high grade flour as "Diamond C" and Weatherford's "Best" two makes that never fail the housewife or baker, who duly appreciates good results. There is nothing in fruits, vegetables, fresh eggs and butter but may be had here if anywhere. They also handle all kinds of fresh and cured meats. The house furnishes farmers with a ready market for their surplus products at best prices and not only have extensive dealings with them but a family trade in the city of large proportions. In all respects the methods of the firm are enterprising and up-to-date and for genuine obliging service is not surpassed by all of its competitors. Mr. Duffal hails from Arkansas while Mr. Price is from Texas. They started their business about 15 months ago and have been deservedly successful in their venture as well as gaining for themselves the confidence and high regard of the entire community.

BIG BARBECUE

AT ADA

Under management W. O. W. at LEADER GROVE one mile south of Ada.

JULY 4th

Free Barbecue and ice water for everybody in Pontotoc County. Speaking by orators of reputation and amusements of all kinds. Come early and stay late and have a big time celebrating the glorious Fourth.

While it is said every thing is going up look at our

REDUCTIONS

Granite Wash pans, the kind usually sold at 20c this week at 5c each.

See our cut prices on Ball Mason Fruit Jars. Pints 59c a doz; quarts 69c a doz; half gallons 79c a doz.

Extra Jar Caps and Rubber porcelain lined 25c a doz.

Extra Jar Rubbers 5c a doz. Extra heavy jar rubbers 9c per doz.

Jelly Glasses—We have two sizes, 1/2 pint 30c per doz. 3/4 pint 25c per doz.

When you want glassware, quonware, enameledware, tinware, etc., come to see us.

Stoneware—Crock and jars. Buy all you want here at 6c per gallon.

See our new line of Laces, only 5c per yard.

Handkerchiefs—Extra values in ladies' and gents' handkerchiefs, 5c and 10c.

Umbrellas—For ladies and gents, imitation silk, extra values for \$1.00.

Gloves—We wish to call your attention to our line of gloves. Ladies' mercerized gloves in black, white and colors, 30c a pair.

Saturday Extra Special—We are going to sell while they last another lot of those good four-strand brooms at 10c each. Sold with 25c worth of other goods, one to a customer. Come and see

The Nickel Store and China Hall.

The 5c and 10c Store of Ada S. M. SHAW, Prop.

P. C. Duncan & Co.

Real Estate, Insurance and Abstracts. Reliance, a great word, isn't it? If it means anything it means a great deal. We should always be able to rely upon the solidity and honesty of the company or firm, and the representations made to us by the persons with whom we are dealing. In the firm of P. C. Duncan & Co., established January 1st, 1907, we find one in every way reliable and worthy the confidence of our people. They deal in insurance, farm and city loans, and abstracts, insuring life or property against any kind of loss, and handling choice bargains in farm and city property which can now be bought at very low prices as compared to the figures a year hence. They are prepared to show properties, and to those who would write the firm we may say that the answer received may be depended upon as thoroughly reliable. This firm owns a set of abstract books which perhaps are the only complete set in the county and can furnish correct abstracts on short notice. Mr. Duncan, a Tennessean, came here from Texas five years ago and engaged in merchandising. Mr. L. L. Britton, the other member of the company is a Missourian, and came here about January 1st from Joplin, and is fast gaining in popularity. Mr. Duncan is most favorably known to our people, and the public can be assured of honest, fair and business-like service from them at all times.

THE CITIZEN NATIONAL BANK.

A House of Worth and Standing.

The prosperity of a city may be judged by the number of business houses she has that may be termed "substantial" and best evidences are the condition of her banks. These are the bulwarks, the houses who advance her interests, and establish the commercial reputation that is her real life. Few banks in this section of the country hold a higher position than does the Citizens National of Ada, which was founded January 1, 1903, and is officered by J. W. Hays, Pres.; L. E. Patterson, vice-pres; F. O. Harris, cashier, and W. D. Hays, ass't. cashier, with directors of the first three named, also Jno. P. Crawford, F. S. Hought, Mrs. L. M. Hodges, C. M. Coppedge, M. C. Lee and B. H. Epperson. The affairs of the bank have been conducted on a most liberal yet safe and efficient basis, and the

WANT COLUMN

Want ads in the News are sure to bring results.

WANTED—3 or 4 room cottage reasonably close in. Howard Parker, News office. 75-2t

Lost—A new, ivory handled, 45 Colts, long barrel, election six shooter. Liberal reward. Return to News.

FOR SALE—By O. B. Weaver good residence and business property at "paw broker prices."

WANTED—Young man or boy to solicit circulation for the Daily and Weekly News. Apply to Business manager News.

WANTED—First-class board and room in private family by couple without children. References furnished. Address postoffice box No. 196.

WANTED—Furnished cottage or rooms for housekeeping. State location and price. References furnished. Address postoffice box No. 196.

WANTED—Position by a young lady with a thorough knowledge of stenography and bookkeeping. Neat and correct in her work. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE—By O. B. Weaver improved and unimproved, both business and residence property, at a "hard up" bargain.

appreciation of their policy is reflected in the signal success enjoyed in the support and encouragement received from the city's best business interests, the customers being found among the leading firms, industries and farmers of the community. The bank has a capital of \$50,000, a surplus and profits of over \$20,000 and its affairs are in the hands of men who weigh well every act and depart not from the well trodden paths of safety, while yet extending generous treatment and aid to worthy enterprises of the community, and are men whose responsibility, high personal character and integrity inspire and merit the greatest confidence of the public.

M. L. WALSH.

Prominent Citizen and Merchant.

In every class of business there is always some one man who stands as a representative of those qualities of straightforwardness, reliability and devotion to plain, sturdy standards of commercial honor which inspire and retain public confidence. Mart Walsh came west from Indiana at an early age and has spent most of his life in the west. Since opening his business in Ada six years ago he has become a power in commercial circles and his house most popular in the line of dry goods, clothing, ladies' and gents' furnishings, hats, caps and shoes, the stock filling over 300 feet of floor space and requiring the attention of several trained salespeople to attend to the wants of an ever increasing and satisfied patronage. Mr. Walsh is one of our leading cotton buyers, and although his time is well taken up with business he is loyal, patriotic and progressive in his movements for Ada and he well deserves the success he has achieved. A liberal contributor to all charitable and public works, and thorough attention to business with a strict observance of its principles are the main factors in the prosperity enjoyed by this progressive merchant.

Are You Insured?

IF NOT, WHY NOT?

Hicks predicts tornadoes during the summer and fires are liable to occur at any time. Therefore you had better prepare yourself against loss by insuring in old reliable companies.

AT

O. B. WEAVER AGENCY

R. O. WHEELER, Manager

To All Our Customers, And Others:

We have bought the W. S. Akers Meat Market and have moved it into our store and will handle all kinds of meats and would be pleased to have you give us a trial.

Phone 92 for Fresh Meats and Groceries

Duffal & Price

When hot and tired and thirsty just stop at Ramsey's and make a noise like

ORANGEADE, Only 5c, Try It.

RAMSEY'S DRUG STORE

Did You Know

That the human body is composed of at least eighty (80) per cent water. If the water you drink is not pure and wholesome your system will be impaired.

We are now agents for the well known "Pal-Pint" or Texas Carlsbad mineral water, and the now famous "Claremore Radium Water." Let us talk to you about them.

Cwin, Mays & Co.

THE DRUGGISTS.

"We run a drug store and nothing more."

NEW FRISCO TIME CARD

The following new time card is now in effect.

TIME TABLE.

North Bound.

No. 512—Eastern Express. 9:35 a. m.
No. 513—Meteor. 4:55 p. m.
No. 504—St. Louis and Kansas City Passenger. 11:43 p. m.

South Bound.

No. 509—Meteor. 9:35 a. m.
No. 511—Texas Passenger. 8:23 p. m.
No. 515—Sherman Express. 3:05 a. m.

CITY OFFICERS.

C. O. Barton. Mayor

Jeane Warren,

Recorder, Assessor and Collector

Thos. P. Holt. City Attorney

S. W. Hill. City Treasurer

R. C. Couch. City Marshal

E. S. Collins. Street Commissioner

L. L. Johnson. Water Supt.

H. Browall. Chief Fire Dept.

Chairmen of Standing Committees

Cemetery, Sanitary and City Park,

J. T. Conn

Finance. W. C. Lee

Fire. R. T. Kerr

Light. J. T. Sutton

Ordinances. T. J. Chambliss

Police Enforcement of Ordinances and Impeachment. A. J. Deaton

Streets, Alleys, Sidewalk,

M. D. Timberlake

Water. W. H. Markham

Ada tailoring and cleaning works east of postoffice. 48-1t

The come and go feeling that you experience after taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is simply wonderful. Drugs increase your weakness. This remedy does the business. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ramsey's drug store.

Wright and Berry, tailors, next door to postoffice, for high class work. 48-1t

LEADING PROFESSIONAL MEN

FURMAN & CROXTON

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW

Will do a general Civil and Criminal Practice.

Office in Duncan Building.

C. A. Galbraith Tom D. McKeown

GALBRAITH & McKEOWN

LAWYERS

Over Citizens National Bank

Ada, Ind. Ter.

DR. H. T. SAFFARRANS

Dentist

In Freeman Bldg. Ada, I. T.

T. H. Granger B. H. Erb

GRANGER & ERB

DENTISTS

Rooms 1, 2 and 3 1st Nat'l Bank B'g.

DR. T. W. CHADWICK,

VETERINARY SURGEON AND DENTIST.

Is now located at the Texas Wagon Yard.

Examination free.

Residence phone 305; Office phone 306.

HOLLISTER'S

Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets

A Busy Medicine for Busy People.

Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor.

A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney troubles, Impurities, Eczema, Impure Blood, Bad Breath, Singing Bowels, Headache and Backache. Its Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form, 35 cents a box. Genuine made by HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis.

GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALLOW PEOPLE

MEN AND WOMEN.

Use Big 48-cent natural, disintegrating, dissolving, scrupulous or nicotinic, or sent in plain wrapper, by express, prepaid, for \$1.00, or 3 bottles \$2.75. Circular sent on request.

Cosmetics will ruin the complexion. There's no beauty practice equal to the effects of Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It keeps the entire body in perfect health. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. Ramsey's drug store.

THE PEOPLE'S CANDIDATE

Hereby is announced the Mason Drug Co., a candidate for the most popular drug store in Pontotoc county, subject to the action and approval of all the people who want PURE DRUGS, HONEST PRICES, and a square deal. And this candidate will be an easy winner.

ADA STEAM LAUNDRY CO.

Is given up to be best. Do

Largest Agency Work

of any plant in this Territory.

Want A Bath?

Then get a good clean one, Hot or Cold, at High & Litzman's Barber Shop, next door to English Kitchen.

When you want to enjoy a good appetizing meal at a moderate charge, come to the

English Kitchen

Everything strictly first class and clean. Once you eat here you'll become a regular patron.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure by local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proved catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials.

Address: F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Takes Hall's Family pills for Constipation.

GATHERED SMILES

THE SECRET.
Have my eyes not told the secret?
That has long been in my breast?
Have you, as I fancied with you,
Never known or never guessed?
Need I keep you to tell?
Since my glasses have betrayed me,
Since you know the truth so well?

SHE.
Yes, your eyes have not betrayed you.
All that you could not tell I know.
I have learned your heart's dear secret.
You revealed it long ago.
By your sighs and by your glances
All that you could whisper now
I have heard with glad assurance—
But reveal it all to me.
—Chicago Record-Herald

Scheme Didn't Work.
Mrs. Simpkins—It's all nonsense to talk about managing a husband by silent appeals to his good nature. It can't be done. If you want anything you've got to say so right out. You know this husband old hat I've worn for two seasons.

Mrs. Makeshift—Yes; and I suggested that you should quietly put it on and let him see you wearing it.
Mrs. Simpkins—That's just what I did—exactly what I did, and when I proposed to walk down the town with him he said, "I'm afraid all this finery will make my old clothes look shabby!"

THERE ARE OTHERS.



"Skinner gave me a check the other day and it was returned to me by the bank marked 'no funds'."

"I always told you Skinner was a no-account fellow." — Philadelphia Press.

Nothing Doing.

There was a man in our town.
Who was rather slow.
His business kept going down—
An advertiser? No.
—Chicago Daily News

Proof.

"Does your husband love you?" we asked.
"Madly, devotedly," she answered.
"Are you quite sure?"
"Quite. How can I doubt? He has shut me up here in this little cage of a place, where he expects me to spend all my time with nobody's company but his own. If he doesn't love me, why does he take so much trouble to make me miserable?"

And there she stood in her eyes the beautiful strong light of unshaken confidence.—Puck

The Metropolitan Habit.

In an Italian mission school in New York city the teacher was giving a lesson on the life of Lincoln.

"And remember, children," she said earnestly, "when Lincoln went to school it wasn't as easy for him as it is for you. He had to walk miles and miles and miles."

"Why didn't he ask for a transfer?" asked a little boy on the front seat.—Judge.

BETWEEN FRIENDS.

"How did I look in my new ball dress last night?"
"Oh, you were simply beautiful—nobody recognized you at first."—Ellegende Blauetter

Sure!
This world is all a circus show.
Where off to gain renown
One must keep one's nose
—Judge.

Too Much for Pa.
Visitor—Well, Tommy, I hear you have brand-new twin sisters.
Tommy (sadly)—Yes,um, that's what it is.
Visitor (surprised)—What does your father say about the dear little angels?
Tommy—He doesn't call them angels, and he doesn't say nothing.
He just goes 'round knockin' over 'chairs and kickin' the dog and throwin' things at the cat. Oh, he's awful! I don't think!

The Age.
First Boarder—It was an easy matter to classify the stone age, the bronze age, etc.; but this age with its many and wondrous inventions, what name will it?
Second Boarder—Judging by the eggs (and other grub) we get nowa days, it strikes me storage would be about right.—Judge.

ADORABLE SPRING.



Ethel—Oh, yes, I adore spring. It is so like childhood, you know.
Howard—Oh, yes; very squally for the most part.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Bargain Hunter.
From store to store she hastens,
And will think the day well spent
If on all the things she purchases
She saves but half a cent.
—Judge.

Pay Day Not Eternity.
"Young man," said the serious gentleman, "did you ever pause and think that each tick of the clock brings you another moment nearer to the end of your existence?"
"I was thinking of something of that kind this very minute," cheerfully replied the youth, "only the idea struck me that each tick brought pay-day that much nearer."

A Frightful Rumor.
Cecil—Poor Algy Duffington is on the verge of complete nervous prostration over a criminally stupid rumor.
Percy—My word! It's the first I'd heard of it. What agitated the dear boy so?
Cecil—Some anonymous writer has declared that in the very near future valets will no longer be fashionable.—Puck

NOW FANCY THAT.



Gwendolyn—Tell me, dear, did Chol kiss you very hard?
Geraldine—Not exactly. He hardy kissed me.—Chicago Daily News.

Up to Uncle.
"Oh, uncle, do give mother her pretty diamonds back again."
"What on earth do you mean, darling? I haven't them."
"But I heard mother say that she has had to let you have them since her last bridge party, and won't be able to get them back for a long time!"

Animals That Roam.
"Now, Johnnie," asked his teacher, "when you go to the country in summer what animals do you see living about?"
"Boarders," was the prompt reply.—Judge.

Matter of Orthography.
Lola—I told mamma this morning that the sun affected my eyes.
Grace—What did she say?
Lola—She asked whose son I had reference to.—Chicago Daily News.

IN BOSTON.



Orange Jumbles.
One-half cup butter, one cup sugar creamed together. Add one beaten egg, one-third cup of milk, one tea spoonful orange extract. Beat together, then stir in three cups of flour in which has been sifted one tea spoonful of soda, two of cream tartar and a little salt. Roll on a floured board very thin, cut with a doughnut cutter sprinkle with sugar and bake in a moderate oven.

CUP THAT CHEERS

TEA REQUIRES MUCH CARE IN THE MAKING.

Delicious Beverage Is Too Often Spoiled by Careless Handling—Right Way to Prepare Cocoa and Chocolate—Vanilla Flavoring.

To Make Tea.—Scald the pot and never place it over the fire. A china granite, or earthen pot is the best. Allow one tea spoonful of tea to a pint of boiling water. Add the tea to the hot pot, pour on the boiling water and cover with a tea basket or cozy, so anything that will keep the heat in the pot while it is steeping is desirable. The infusion will always be heavier at the bottom of the pot, which makes it better to stir the tea before pouring, or the first cup will be weak, and the last too strong. Boiled tea is very injurious, more so than boiled coffee, as it is rich in tannin.

Cocoa and chocolate are made from the cocoa bean. These are ground, mixed with sugar, and frequently arrow-root and starch. To some preparations cinnamon or vanilla is added. Chocolate is made from the bean, but contains a much larger proportion of fat than the cocoa productions. The fat obtained from the cocoa bean is cocoa butter. Cocoa and chocolate differ from tea and coffee, as they contain nutriment as well as stimulant. Theobromine, the active principle, is very much like caffeine and theine in its composition and effects.

As cocoa and chocolate contain starch it makes boiling a necessity in the preparation. If milk is added and boiled with the cocoa it is less digestible. Both chocolate and cocoa should be boiled in water and the milk simply scalded and added last. Good cocoa should be reddish brown, very fine and free from fat. Cocoa when boiled in water with scalded milk and whipped cream added is more digestible than chocolate, although chocolate would be still more digestible if it were made with water and used without cream.

A cup of chocolate with a piece of whole wheat bread makes a good breakfast for a school child.

To Make Cocoa.—Moisten four tea spoonfuls of cocoa with four table spoonfuls of hot water, stir until smooth, then add half a pint of boiling water, bring to the boiling point, then add two table spoonfuls of sugar and half a cupful of good milk. Take from the fire and add a few drops of vanilla, if liked. Serve at once with whipped cream.

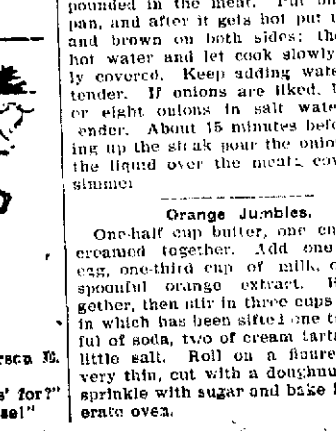
To Make a Pot of Chocolate.—Put four ounces of chocolate in a double boiler and allow it to melt, then add a quart of boiling water and stir constantly until the water in the boiler boils for five minutes. Add a quart of scalded milk and beat well with an egg beater. Serve plain or with whipped cream. A drop or two of cinnamon or half a tea spoonful of vanilla may be added if desired.

How to Make Prune Pie.
Prune pie can be made now with a little lemon peel to give it flavor. Grate the peel and stone the prunes. Raisins are nice, and dates even can be made into our great American dish. Long before cherries are here nice pies can be made from canned cherries. And candied currants make a pie—that one never gets nowadays, somehow. Yet why not? Currants grow, and are brought to Philadelphia markets in generous amounts, yet they are only used sparingly for currant jelly. Currant jam is delicious for little tarts. Spiced currants are fine. The trouble is that currants come when city housekeepers are closing their homes or have already gone, and so none are put up. From the strawberries that are preserved in the spring to the autumn fruits there is a long gap.—Philadelphia Ledger.

To Make Indian Muffins.
Sift and mix together a pint and a half of yellow Indian meal and a handful of flour. Melt a quarter of a pound of fresh butter in a quart of milk. Beat four eggs very light and stir into them alternately a little at a time of each of the milk when it is quite cold and the meal, adding a small tea spoonful of salt. The whole must be beaten long and hard. Have the muffin tins buttered and heated before pouring the batter into them for baking. Send the muffins to the table hot and split them with the fingers for eating, as cutting with a knife will make them heavy. Eat with butter, molasses or honey.

Swiss Steak.
Get a round steak, about three inches thick; salt, pepper and flour it; take a meat pounder and keep pounding the flour in for about half an hour; use just as much flour as can be pounded in the meat. Put butter in pan, and after it gets hot put meat in and brown on both sides; then add hot water and let cook slowly, closely covered. Keep adding water until tender. If onions are liked, boil six or eight onions in salt water until tender. About 15 minutes before taking up the steak pour the onions with the liquid over the meat; cover and simmer.

Orange Jumbles.
One-half cup butter, one cup sugar creamed together. Add one beaten egg, one-third cup of milk, one tea spoonful orange extract. Beat together, then stir in three cups of flour in which has been sifted one tea spoonful of soda, two of cream tartar and a little salt. Roll on a floured board very thin, cut with a doughnut cutter sprinkle with sugar and bake in a moderate oven.



My name, kind sir, is Emerson.
E. Emerson.
"And what of the middle 'Es' for?"
"Why, for 'Emerson' of course!"

GOOD POLISH FOR FLOORS.

Homemade Preparation Better Than the Purchased Article.

It is cheaper to prepare your own polish for floors. To do so buy at the drug store one-half pound of white beeswax; place in a crock; pour over it one-half gallon turpentine and set on back of range until melted; remove and cool, when it should be a little thinner than vaseline; but as the little cakes of wax are sold for an ounce and are not uniform, the beginner would better try half the quantity given above and if, when cool, it is too thick, add a little more turpentine; if too thin, add more wax and melt over. Be careful no turpentine is on the edge or outside of the crock, as it may easily catch and set fire to the preparation; and for this reason if placed on the gas stove lay a stove lid over the flame. Rub this polish thinly and evenly over the entire floor; let stand to harden at least half an hour, then rub with weighted brush, beginning in the corner where the polish was first applied, as it will have had a longer time in which to harden.

CARE OF HOUSEHOLD LINEN.

Arrange in Separate Piles with Sachets of Scent Among Them.

The linen cupboard with plenty of shelves is a great convenience, but many housekeepers have to be content with storing their linen in drawers, as the scarcity of cupboards is one of the drawbacks of modern houses.

When the shelves are turned out and cleaned cover them with fresh paper when perfectly dry. Whether the linen is kept in a drawer or cupboard it should be arranged in neat piles. Tablecloths, table napkins and tray cloths in one shelf or drawer, pillowcases and towels in another. Sachets of lavender, thyme or rose leaves should find a place among the piles of linen.

If any of the sheets show signs of wear, cut them to the middle and seam the outer edges together, so that the worn part is placed where it gets least wear. It is a good plan on a fine warm day to take all the linen which is not much used and hang it on a line for a few hours.

Stationary Ironing Board.

One of the most satisfactory ironing boards that ever I have used is a stationary board hinged to the wall in place of the usual movable one which is placed on a table or chair. The board is 5 1/2 feet long, 14 inches wide, and 1 1/2 inches thick, and is shaped in the usual manner. It has two cleats on the back to prevent warping. At its wide end it is fastened with loose pin hinges to a three-inch cleat which is screwed to the wall, so when the board is in position to use a kitchen chair will form the support for the board. When not in use the board is turned up against the wall and held in position by a hook at one side. The back of the board can be papered or painted so as to match the wall, and the cover for the board can be pinned or tied on at each ironing, as it takes but a moment to prepare for use.

Cocoanut Custard.

Bring a quart of milk to the scalding point, but do not boil. Take from the fire and stir into it the yolks of three eggs and three table spoonfuls of sugar that have been beaten to a cream. Stir well, put back on the fire. Thicken with one table spoonful of cornstarch, and add one cupful of shredded or grated cocoanut. When thick pour into the serving dish and let cool. Whip the whites of the eggs cool. Whip the spread over top and let brown in the oven. Sometimes for a change instead of browning the whites whip a little rose coloring which gives them a lovely pink tinge and use a paper cone to make a fancy top.

Best Ways to Wind Wool.

Wool for knitting or crochet should never be wound very tightly into a hard ball, as this makes it thin and poor. Some good knitters merely unwind the skein into a soft heap, but this method is only possible where there is no fear of entanglement, as if the heap of wool be disturbed it soon gets into a hopeless tangle. A better plan is to wind the wool over three or four fingers of the left hand held outside the ball. These fingers should be gently withdrawn at frequent intervals to change the position of the ball, says Woman's Life. Wool thus wound is always soft and full of thread.

Rice With Mutton.

Line a buttered baking dish with a wall of rice an inch in thickness. Fill the center with cold roast or boiled mutton, chopped small and freed from bone and gristle. Season to taste. Add a little onion juice and moisten with gravy. Cover with a layer of rice and bake covered, in a moderate oven for half an hour. Then remove the cover, spread lightly with melted butter and let stay in the oven until delicately browned. Serve hot with a tomato sauce. Chicken or veal may be used instead of the mutton.

The Service of a Formal Luncheon.

The arrangement and service of a formal luncheon are much like those for dinner, save that the bare table with ornamental doilies and center-piece is often used. Plates for bread and butter are appropriate for luncheon. Effervescent waters are sometimes served rather than wine for this meal, especially where only women are present.—Harper's Bazar.

NEWS OF THE LABOR WORLD

The Army of the Children.
Through the dark dawn I see them
With faces pinched and cold,
With eyes that see no beauty
And garments frayed and old.

Through the dark streets an army
Of little brims, that shrink
Before the trucks that meet them
And minds too worn to think.

Through the dark streets I meet them,
And in the factories dim,
Where hours of countless children
Go speaking up to him.

An army headed and starving,
O, Lord! before Thy gates,
A horde of little children
Upon Thy coming waits.

Acute at night I see them,
An army crushed and weak,
With heart too worn for whisper
And lips too faint to speak.

The army of the children,
Some day, O Lord, shall rise
And tear the scales of darkness
From Mammon's blinded eyes.

The army of the children,
No more my eyes shall see
In that great day that's coming,
When every child is free.

THE LION, THE LION, I see them,
With faces pinched and cold,
With souls that feel no beauty
And garments frayed and old.
—Jus Lord Melville, in New York Sun.

Boston.—The Massachusetts state convention of the National Association of Stationary Engineers will be held in New Bedford, July 12 and 13.

Covington, Ky.—Judge Cochran, in the federal court recently upheld the law prohibiting common carriers from discriminating against labor organizations.

Bridgeport, Conn.—Machinists and tool makers to the number of 350, and their skilled assistants, in the government work shops have gone on strike.

Atlanta, Ga.—The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen reelected P. H. Morrissey grand master without opposition. The other officers also were reelected.

Chicago.—Through arbitration proceedings the Elevator Starters and Conductors' Union has secured a raise of five dollars a month in pay for its members.

St. Petersburg.—Ten thousand factory hands at Shuya, Russia, quit work and demanded the release of the noted revolutionist, Arzenius, whom the police arrested.

Cleveland, O.—The freight handlers on the docks of the Detroit & Cleveland line struck for more wages. The men have been getting 16 1/2 cents an hour and they want 20 cents.

Indianapolis, Ind.—President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America, it is announced, has been renominated for the office and will permit his nomination to stand.

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Boston.—Miss Mattie A. Gillespie was elected one of the four delegates to the I. T. U. international convention at Hot Springs this summer. She is the first woman ever elected by an eastern union.

Washington.—An estimate furnished by a statistician gives the number of men killed in the daily pursuit of their callings, largely skilled and unskilled laborers, for the last four years, at 50,000 men, or 20,000 annually.

Mobile, Ala.—All the building contractors of Mobile put their establishments on the open shop basis, according to a previous agreement. As a result about 1,500 men in the building trades failed to show up for work.

Chicago.—Summing up the work of last year Secretary Frank Duffy of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters reports that in sick benefits alone there was paid out the sum of \$107,000, while the death and disability benefits, in the same time, amounted to \$218,202.18.

Chicago.—One thousand employees of the Elgin, Joliet & Eastern and the Chicago, Lake Shore & Eastern railroads, owned by the United States Steel corporation, were supposed to find their pay had been in arrears, dating from May 1. The total arrears on the two roads was aggregated \$55,000 a year. Of this amount Joliet employees will get \$30,000. The remainder goes monthly to employees at South Chicago.

Rome, Italy.—Agricultural laborers at Agenta, in the province of Ferrara, Italy, have been on strike for six weeks for a more equitable division of labor and wages. So resolute is the entire population in its resistance to the former proprietors that mothers of families, nearly all of whom profess socialist principles, have sent away from the zone of conflict 1,700 babies to be cared for in artisan households of upper Italy.

Chicago.—One labor organization of which little has been heard, and from which much is expected, is the Provision Trades council of Chicago and vicinity, organized last March, and now representing more than 15,000 men employed in producing or handling provisions. President McKenzie of the council was born in Green Bay, Wis. June 4, 1877, and came to Chicago 14 years ago. He has been a member of the Chicago Waiters' union, local No. 336, since it was organized in 1901.

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IT'S A DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM

State Convention Pledges the Party to Policy of Putting Farmers in Occupancy of all Land--Good Roads--Separate Schools and Coaches--Control of Corporations--Prohibition Non-Partisan Question

Oklahoma City, June 18.—(Convention Hall)—The democratic state convention which convened here today to ratify nominations made in the primary succeeded in adopting the platform shortly after midnight after a struggle over an expression on prohibition. All day the platform committee was in session giving a positive declaration on the subject as has heretofore been indicated.

The committee report which was unanimously submitted gave an expression believed to be satisfactory, but Tom Owen of Muskogee acting for the delegation from his town asked for a more specific declaration of enforcement in case statewide prohibition became a law. Oklahoma county led by E. I. Giddings formerly of Birmingham, Texas, now of Oklahoma City, and George Henshaw of Madill made the fight against the Owen resolution which was finally voted down.

At midnight formal nominations were begun. Oklahoma City, June 18.—Immediately following the Bryan speech this morning temporary organization of the state democratic convention was placed in charge of William H. Murray of Tahlequah and W. T. Field of El Reno as chairman and secretary.

Chairman Murray who is also president of the Constitutional convention spoke at some length on what the constitution contained. Many of the provisions which he stated had been grossly misrepresented, were explained in detail and comparisons made with present conditions. Referring to the state-wide prohibition feature to be separately submitted to the voters with the constitution the chairman sounded the warning that no matter what the result might be the democratic party would enforce all laws to the letter.

We have been warned that it will be necessary to change some of the constitutional cardinal principles in order to secure statehood, said Mr. Murray, and I want to say what ever will be necessary will be done. But statehood deferred for a decade the people would elect delegates they know would enact a constitution containing the principles now in this one.

Mr. Murray nominated Bryan for the presidency in 1908.

Preliminary organization consisted in the appointment of committees on resolutions, platform and rules and permanent organization selection being made from judicial districts.

The convention gavel is made of hickory cut from the homestead of Andrew Jackson the seventh president of the United States.

While the committee were at work speeches were heard from C. B. Ames of Oklahoma City, Charles Madison of Muskogee, Henry Furman of Ada, Clint Worral of Hobart and Lee Cruce of Ardmore. Mr. Ames announced he was a corporation attorney but there was nothing in the constitution which honest corporations could fear.

At the night session these officers

took charge of the permanent organization. Judge R. A. Billups of Washita county chairman, Gabe Parker, Bryan county secretary, N. A. Gordon, Oklahoma county and B. J. Wagh, Pontotoc county, reading clerks. J. Hightower, Canadian county, sergeant at arms. C. W. Meeks, Pittsburg county, J. G. Watts, Sequoyah county, assistants. There contests among three delegations.

The platform submitted to the convention endorsed the constitution and accepted it as the platform of the party. Urged sale of the school lands as soon as practicable, preference right being given to the lessee. Favored sale of the segregated coal and asphalt lands of the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nation at a fair price subject to the ratification by the people. Favored sale of the surface lands to actual settlers and urged that private monopoly be prevented from acquiring the timber lands of the new state. In strong language the removal of restrictions from all except the homesteads of the full-blood Indians is endorsed and it is said there will be immediate distribution of the tribal funds. Pledges the passage by the legislature of a satisfactory road law and endorses the constitutional convention resolution pledging the legislature to enact a Jim Crow law and separate schools for whites and colored children. On the prohibition question the platform declares that such is removed from partisan politics and relegated to the people according to the principles of the referendum. Following this is a specific declaration that if the party is given the reigns of government it is pledged to the full execution of all provisions of the constitution and all laws. It favors control of public service and transmission companies. Bryan was endorsed for president in 1908.

Upon the question of adoption Tom Owen of Muskogee asked an amendment to the prohibition section that if the democratic party is entrusted with power it will not only request but enforce the will of the people in this regard.

Owen took the floor and urged the party to take a position in the open in advocacy of law enforcement.

George Henshaw of Madill and E. I. Giddings of Oklahoma City opposed any change in the platform which the committee had reported unanimously.

Momian Pratt of Pauls Valley presented a resolution recognizing the Anti-Saloon League as a factor in the recent governor race and endorsing the state wide prohibition. This was ruled out of order.

On the adoption of the Owen resolution the roll was called and the vote stood 398 for 716 against. The platform was then adopted without change.

At midnight formal nominations were begun. Roy Hoffman of Chandler nominated T. P. Gore of Lawton for United States senator.

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This sale will positively last no longer than Saturday, June 22.

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Blue Serges in two pieces, our former price	\$12.50	3-Piece suits, our former price	\$10.00
On sale now for	\$9.38	Now on sale for	\$7.50
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"LET THE PEOPLE RULE"

That's the Slogan for Oklahoma Democracy---Best Constitution Ever, Says Bryan--Commoner Arouses Great Enthusiasm at State Convention.

Oklahoma City, June 18.—Convention packed from gallery to pit, greeted with marked exultation William Jennings Bryan of Nebraska who upon invitation of the democratic committee stopped in Oklahoma City today long enough to strike the keynote of the campaign which the dem-

swept to the limit of enthusiasm there was never the less an apparent languor in the speaker's words and the stamp of weariness was upon his brow that told of the almost sleepless hours of travel in campaigning and lecturing.

Yesterday the Bryan who carried the people off their feet in the Chicago convention in 1896 which gave him the presidential nomination and recognized in the sentiment he expressed, and received and applauded in much the same spirit today. Although only speaking forty minutes he told the convention much about the proposed constitution which he pronounced as the best ever drafted by the hands of men. It was with difficulty that he made his way to the waiting vehicle after his address so vast was the crowd rushing to the stage to extend hearty congratulations.

When the visitor and party first appeared in the hall the usual demonstrations followed. Dismissing preliminaries Chairman Thompson introduced E. L. Fulton of Oklahoma City, a former resident of Bryan's Nebraska district who made the presentation speech. Reference to him as the next president of the United States was the signal for wild cheering and when the party form of the guest was observed in speaking attitude delegates mounted chairs and yelled lustily waving standards and flags.

The prospects of the democratic party in this state are so good, said the speaker that if anything you have lightened the republicans too soon. You have the best constitution in the United States a better one than that of the United States. It is one of the best documents of human liberty ever drafted by men. Its purity of principle is much like that of a little child who prayed the Lord to make her life pure like baking powder. A newspaper in the east said the constitution had been drafted by a lot of corn-fed lawyers and after reading it I congratulated them for having put in the holes usually employed by trust fed attorneys.

Let us make the key note, 'Let the people rule.' It is not only good here but I want to see it occupy a place in the next national campaign and I know of no better or more appropriate slogan.

Oklahoma is not afraid to trust the people for her sovereign representatives have made a constitution under which the people can control the government. I find that you placed therein clauses checking advances which experience has shown us are dangerous. You have placed a limit upon municipal franchises, and followed the splendid example of permitting no exclusive franchise until the people speak with authority. The initiative and referendum has been most valuable applied to city affairs and why not of equal value applied to state governments? If the citizen holds in check the government at home why should not the same citizen hold in check the government at the state capital? There are less objectionable features to the Oklahoma constitution than to any I know of, but of the many good things there is that which tells the people if there is anything they don't like they may change it at

will and I fail to understand how any republican cannot fail to vote for such a liberal document. If I do not miss my guess the people will adopt the constitution irrespective of intimidated republican opposition and if I were selfish or had at interest only the democratic party I would say to Washington. Keep it out for while we would lose seven editorial votes in the next National college we would gain many times that amount from states eager to rebuke an act of political perfidy.

Kansas, Illinois, Iowa and Indiana all of which have sons, daughters, and relatives in this new and prosperous country would turn the tide of their power to a people so grossly oppressed and Ohio which in the way, has made a valuable contribution to your state.

In an instant the name of Haskell swept over the hall while the flags and standards again came into play. Yes sir Ohio too. Mr. Bryan continued has sent her honored son here. Let them turn this constitution down and we will have Haskell clubs in Ohio from one end to the other. After telling that democracy's prospects were growing brighter for national success in 1908 and paying a tribute to Thomas Jefferson as the father of democracy who builded wiser than he knew Mr. Bryan was whisked in an automobile to the M. K. & T. depot where the regular train had been held to carry him to Bartlesville, I. T.

Mr. Bryan's speech was not only opportune, said Chairman Thompson tonight but will start us right in inaugurating a winning campaign for Haskell and the constitution.

THE FAMOUS TELEGRAMS

McKeown and Bolen Wire their "Constituents" at Home.

Tom D. McKeown, Mr. Cruce's campaign manager for Pontotoc county, sent the following message out from Oklahoma last night.

Oklahoma City, Okla., June 18 1907. To Cruce Supporters, Pontotoc County, We met Haskell's brigade and we are theirs.

Tom D. McKeown.

Another Message. I. W. Bolen, Mr. Haskell's Manager for Pontotoc county, also sends a message that reads like this:

To Haskell's Supporters, Pontotoc County, We met Cruce's brigade and they are "ours."

J. W. Bolen.

But now the battle is over, Mr. Cruce gave his word to Mr. Haskell, and Mr. Haskell returned it to him. Mr. Cruce's lieutenants are now Mr. Haskell's lieutenants and now it is one big, grand invincible army of democrats sworn to whip the common enemy at the polls next fall.

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PONIES WERE FOUND GUILTY

They Hauled Boose and Got Confiscated by Government.

Muskogee, I. T. June 18.—A new departure was taken from the accustomed method of the United States officers in Indian Territory for the suppression of bootlegging whisky, when William E. Johnson, special officer of the government for this purpose, arrested two ponies which were hitched to a light wagon near Sapulpa a few days ago, in which there was a large supply of whiskey. The charge against the ponies was the aiding and abetting in the introduction of spirituous liquors and various mules into the Territory contrary to the laws of the United States. The ponies were sold by order of the court to the highest bidder for cash by the United States Marshal of the western district and bought by G. D. Steeper of Wagoner, I. T.

According to the law against introducing, all horses, conveyances, etc., may be confiscated and sold by order of the court, hence the proceeding.

Progress in Oil Fields.

Tulsa, I. T. June 18.—With the production of oil in Indian Territory, greater by far than can be handled by all the purchasing agencies with the means at hand, the oil men concede that the price will not go up under present conditions. In fact, were it not for the prospect of relief when two independent pipe lines to the gulf are completed the price might rather be expected to take a drop. The maximum grade of Indian Territory oil commands a price of 41 cents a barrel, when Pennsylvania oil of similar grade brings over \$1.50 per barrel.

Indian Territory is now producing between 150,000 and 200,000 barrels of oil per day. This is a marvelous production as it now stands, but with the advent with the Morris field which is destined to be a great pool possibly equal to the Glenn pool, the product of oil in the Indian Territory will be greatly increased. It is very likely bulk of oil produced in America will soon come from this section of the country.

The Gulf Pipe Line Company's line to the gulf is all down in Indian Territory and the Texas end is nearing completion which means that the gulf company's line will be in operation within a few weeks. The Texas company's line is being rushed to completion and the two pipe lines, from present appearances, will be completed almost simultaneously.

NEWS FROM SULPHUR
Notes of Interest Gathered By The News Correspondent.

Sulphur, I. T., June 18.—Murray county's seventeen delegates to the democratic state convention left for Oklahoma City headed by Miss Essie Bell. Miss Bell is the democratic nominee for county superintendent, having received more votes than both her male opponents.

Delegates to the Oklahoma Annual League Conference of the Methodist church which will be held in this city Wednesday and Thursday, are arriving. There will be about 200 delegates in attendance. Rev. T. L. Rippey of Ada will preach the opening sermon Tuesday night.

Great preparations are being made for the Epworth League Chautauqua which opens on the 26th of this month, with W. J. Bryan as first orator. Much Chautauqua literature is being broadcasted over the two territories and Kansas, Arkansas and Texas. Excursions are being arranged for "Bryan Day." One and one-third fare tickets

will be on sale at all stations on the Santa Fe and Frisco.

The Frisco has gotten out a beautifully illustrated booklet advertising Sulphur and Platt Park as the greatest health and pleasure resort on the Frisco lines. Both the Frisco and Santa Fe have put in their folders illustrated matter advertising Sulphur, and their all-through year-round low rates to this resort.

CENTER NEWS NOTES.

Farmers are very thankful for the warm, dry weather. Cotton is small and oats are getting ready for harvest.

Mr. Krieger is trying to get up a fishing party to go on Salt Creek. Judge Hilton and Mr. Tully are carmen, and B. C. King as the pilot. None but defeated candidates needed on this fishing bee. Laugh and go afoot. He says it takes a brave man to stand prosperity, but a hero to laugh at defeat.

Johnny Hurt, better known as "Blind Johnny" is in Center teaching a music school. He says his aunt has entirely lost her mind. Aunt Hurt lived in Center a long time. We are very sorry that she has lost her mind. It makes it doubly hard on Johnny's wife, with a blind husband and an insane person—besides three small children to take care of. There is a good work for Christian people. Any help rendered will be thankfully received by the distressed family. We hope this appeal will reach the hearts of many and that help will be forth coming for them.

Mr. Bunipers went to Dallas, Texas, last week.

Mrs. Brown wet to Maud on Monday.

Miss Winnie Rader is visiting her aunts, Mrs. Lilla Copeland and Mrs. Kate Anstell.

B. H. Lowry and wife and F. C. Krieger and wife were shopping in Ada Monday.

Will Stewart of Selpio, I. T., is visiting his uncle, Mr. George Ingram.

Rev. Brundidge of Ada filled the Baptist pulpit Saturday night and Sunday. Good crowd and good attention was had at every service.

Frying chickens are almost ripe in and around Center.

Mrs. Moles has been sick for several days.

John Rick has a very sick child with typhoid fever.

Hurrah for Haskell.

BEARD & BLANKS.

Real Estate, Loans and Insurance.

Reality is the basis of all security, but in this as in all other pursuits much depends upon the knowledge and probity of those through whom transactions of this character are conducted. Prudent buyers secure services of men of judgment, experience and standing for honesty and integrity to negotiate purchases, that they may know such incidental and important matters as the investigation of title, preparation of transfer papers, etc., will be carefully attended to. Among those prominently engaged in handling real estate, the placing of loans and insurance in Ada is the well known firm of Messrs. J. W. Beard and J. E. Blanks, whose convenient and well appointed office is located in the Harris hotel building. This firm is representative, trustworthy and responsible and among the foremost dealers in desirable farm lands and city property in Pontotoc county. They have a large number of fine farm tracts to which perfect titles may be made and are offering some of the choicest inside business realty and business property in the prosperous and growing city of Ada at prices that make profitable returns to investors. The firm are the owners and platters of the Capital Hill addition to the city, consisting of sixty acres laid out in acre lots with handsome avenues, nicely graded and set to trees. This addition is close in, beautiful and slightly, adddestined to be Ada's most fashionable and desirable residence section. Now is the time to buy in this addition while acre lots can be bought for \$200 to \$400. Other important branches of the firm's business are those negotiating loans at low rates and the writing of fire insurance for which they represent one of the strongest agencies of seven, well-known companies to be found in the territory. J. W. Beard, the senior member, is a Kansan who has resided in the territory 18 years. He enjoys the double distinction of being a pioneer resident as well as one of the original promoters of the townsite of Ada. R. E. Blanks is a Texan and the resident of the territory for seven years, and is a well-known business man. Both are among the most substantial, influential and esteemed citizens in the community.

CITY EQUALIZATION BOARD

Determined to Make Taxpayers Pay on Actual Value--Tedious, Exacting Work--Deplorable Lot of Tax Dodging and Under Renditions--City Needs the Money

The equalization board for the city is busily engaged this week in going over the tax rolls and equalizing taxes. S. M. Torbett, T. J. Chambliss, and Charlie Little compose this board.

Naturally it is a delicate and thankless task, but the propose to do the work conscientiously and thoroughly for the best interests of the city. As yet they are scarcely more than one-third through the rolls, but a lamentable lot of tax dodging and of grossly small renditions have been discovered. Determined this year to new

FURMAN IN THE CONVENTION

Pontotoc County Statesman Proudly Received -- Delegation -- is Dubbed "Noisy Delegation"--Sam McClure Chosen Committeeman

The Pontotoc Indians, 28 strong, sleepy but noisy and in a good humor, returned from Oklahoma City this a.m. Judge H. M. Furman, who headed the delegation, was one of the big men of the convention and did Pontotoc county proud. In his address before the convention he defied any democrat in Oklahoma to do more for the party and the ticket than he himself would and pledged Oklahoma that Pontotoc county would give the constitution and Haskell 3,000, if not 3,700 votes next fall. Demonstration was made when Judge Furman was discovered in the hotel lobby Monday evening and was forced to respond to cries for "Furman" in a short but well received address. In the convention

ADA NATIONAL BANK.

Our Pioneer Fiscal Institution.

Some business houses take a position by storm and hold it practically by force, while others grow steadily in the favor of the public and pass more and more into regard and confidence as long as they exist. Of this class is the Ada National Bank. Established in 1900 its record has been of unbroken progress and success. The institution has been conducted upon soundest and most conservative principles and its management characterized by sagacity, energy and ability, coupled with honorable and liberal methods, closely identifying itself with the movements that have helped the onward growth of the city and county and contributing liberally to their prosperity. The bank has a capital of \$50,000 surplus and profits of \$13,500 and is ably officered by Tom Hope, Pres.; M. C. Copeland, vice-pres.; Frank Jones, cashier, and Orville Sheen, assistant cashier, and Orville Beard, J. F. McKeel, Z. E. Charlton, and Ella Seales, all of whom except Mr. Copeland of Center and Ella Seales of Holdenville, are citizens of Ada and among our most well-known and responsible people. The bank has all elements and business facilities possessed by any first-class institution and does a general banking business, according to all admirable courtesy and attention to its officers has caused the Ada National to become a general favorite with merchants and citizens, and given the house a high position which is easily maintained by its corps of able and progressive officers.

JAS. M. WALSH.

Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Groceries.

Among the many successful and enterprising merchants of Ada there are few who have achieved the prominence and popularity in trade circles that is justly accorded to Jas. M. Walsh. Mr. Walsh conducts one of the most attractive stores in the city, his large stock being unsurpassed for superior excellence in its lines, which are those of drygoods, notions, clothing, shoes, hats, ladies ready-to-wear garments and furnishings of all descriptions and a very large and complete stock of groceries, making all in all a stock of unusual value. Mr. Walsh is a merchant who exercises the keenest judgment in the selection of his goods and in his careful and judicious buying consists the secret of his success. In nothing is his well-trained ability shown to better advantage than in the character of the goods he handles unless it is in the model and up-to-date arrangement of the same for the convenient inspection of his numerous customers and the public. Mr. Walsh has an extensive trade, his store being a favorite shopping emporium for all who appreciate standard quality, latest styles and low prices. Native of Indiana, but has been a resident of the territory for ten years founding his present business in August, 1906. In all dealings Mr. Walsh as a merchant has proven himself to be broad, liberal and enterprising as well as a citizen of high character and sterling worth.

W. C. DUNCAN.

High-Class Furniture and Undertaking Establishment.

In these days so much pride is taken in the furnishing and ornamentation of the American home, fine furniture has become indispensable to all who desire to keep up with the progressive spirit of the age. The city of Ada can lay claim to having many business houses which do credit to the respective departments of trade they so well represent, but none occupies a more prominent position or commands more favorable consideration among its customers and the public at large than does the big furniture, carpet and undertaking establishment of W. C. Duncan. Founded by the present proprietor six years ago, it has since been distinguished for its steady progress, strict reliability, and honorable success. It has ever been the constant endeavor of Mr. Duncan to meet the wishes of his patrons in design, beauty and finish as well as to those essential qualities, so often lacking, namely, durability and completeness of workmanship. His stock of furniture is not only of the largest in the country but comprises goods of superior quality. He handles everything from an ordinary chair to beautiful parlor and chamber suits, library and kitchen furniture in greatest assortment as well as carpets, rugs, matings lace curtains and draperies in all the prevailing patterns and fashionable weaves. In fact he is prepared to furnish up a home be it humble cottage or palatial residence from half entrance to garret in either plain or luxurious style at lowest cost. The undertaking department of this establishment is especially worthy of mention. Mr. Duncan carries a full line of the best goods made, comprising caskets, coffin robes, and all the paraphernalia and accessories required for conducting a funeral in the most acceptable manner. In whatever capacity this enterprising and progressive merchant serves his customers he has the satisfaction of knowing that his reliability and commercial integrity in this community is unquestioned.

Color Blindness.

An intelligent physician has discovered that color blindness is very rare among girls, though it is common among boys. From this fact he draws the conclusion that in most cases color blindness is due to a want of early education in discriminating colors. Girls are taught to become familiar with every shade of colors, while boys receive no instruction whatever on the subject. Hence, boys frequently exhibit an ignorance with true color blindness, but which girls rarely show.

Out of the Woods and Back.

Tramp—Madam, I have come out of the wilderness to locate work.
Lady—Humph! Well, I can give you plenty. Chop that wood and—
Tramp—Beg pardon, ma'am. I said I was merely trying to locate it. Now that I know it still exists I shall return to the wilderness.—Judge.

AVOID CONFUSION

Administrators, Guardians and others, may avoid confusions, from the mingling of private and trust funds, by opening separate accounts at this bank. Drop in and let us talk over this important matter.

Ada National Bank
Ada, Ind. Ter.

Our Stockholders have a combined wealth of over \$500,000.00.

The Long Distance Telephone

USE IT TODAY AND SAVE DELAY

Other ways of transacting your affairs cannot compare with it in **HIGH VALUE LOW PRICE QUICK SERVICE**

It is the comprehensive means of communication.

PIONEER TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH CO.

Telephone Directory.

The New Telephone Directory is being prepared for the Printer. We want your name to appear correctly. Any changes you desire, notify the Manager.

PIONEER TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO.

Capitol Hill

Acres will be best residence property. Close in; shade trees on every street

Beard & Blanks
Office 1st Door West Harris Hotel

We keep a full line of prescription goods. We know how and can fill any prescription. We don't substitute. We deliver.

Crescent Drug Store
Dr. F. Z. Holley, Prop.

(AN OLD AND ESTABLISHED HOUSE)

ARMSTRONG, BYRD & CO
—OF OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA.—

Have been established in the PIANO and ORGAN business in Oklahoma and Indian Territories for ten years. They are the largest music house in the Southwest, and carry a magnificent line of thirty-two of the best known and most reliable makes of Pianos. They sell from \$50.00 to \$75.00 cheaper than any other firm sell Pianos of the same grade and quality.

IF I THE MARKET FOR A PIANO FIGURE WITH THEM

Pianos We have just received several late styles and would be glad to have you call and inspect.

Sewing Machines A few high grade ball bearing White Sewing Machines at \$22.50 while they last.

Organs We can sell you a good organ from \$25 to \$100, \$5 down and \$2 per month. You'll have to hurry.

Sheet Music We are receiving new music every day. Come and try it on our pianos. Tell us your music troubles. Let us reason together.

Matthews Music Co.
Main Street

Money Made

In buying city lots, improved and unimproved. Now is the time to buy as property valuations are increasing daily. We can show you some fine bargains.

O. B. WEAVER AGENCY
R. O. WHEELER, Manager

Andrew Carnegie

the best way to accumulate money is to resolutely save and bank a fixed portion of your income, no matter how small the amount.

Suppose you follow the advice of Carnegie who started in life poor and open an account with

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

PERSONAL MENTION

If you know it tell or telephone it to The News.

Ben Mason is in Stratford today.

J. B. Mosley was here from Sulphur.

W. A. Watson is here from Francis.

W. L. Reed made a trip to Ardmore today.

W. A. Spence was a visitor from Stonewall.

S. D. Lafferty of Muskogee is in Ada today.

R. Denton and wife were here from Davis.

Frank A. Sewell was here from Texahoma, Okla.

Wm. W. Sharpless, the Stonewall merchant spent the night in Ada.

B. C. Gilstrap and M. F. Bayless were here from Stratford last night.

H. C. Hyde and J. H. Johnson of Holdenville are Wednesday callers.

S. H. Carmean returned from a three weeks' stay with home folks in Kansas.

Theo. B. Lemmon of Sapulpa and W. R. Lemon of Sherman are in the city.

J. C. Dulaney, special insurance agent, was transacting business in Ada.

Rev. G. H. Worthen of Denison is in the city making temperance speeches on the street.

James W. Cady and Mesdames W. B. and John Paschal were visitors from Atoka over night.

Little Miss Edena Richardson came home this morning after a visit with relatives in Holdenville.

W. S. Staggs of Abilene called on the News today and dropped a dollar in the needy till. He says farmers in his neighborhood are getting crops in splendid shape now.

The following citizens of Midland were here on court and other matters: R. G. Walker, J. W. Bohannon, N. J. Warner, E. H. McClary, Gus Carlton, W. J. Collins, Tilden Demond.

Mrs. A. T. Smith, who has been with her daughter, Mrs. Cynthia Parker, for several months, returned this morning to Mt. Vernon, Texas. Mrs. Parker accompanied her as far as Sherman.

Success in life is accompanied by increase of enemies. That's why Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has so many imitators: it's a success. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ramsey's drug store.

Mrs. John McKinley left yesterday for a visit of two months in Paris, Whitesboro, and other places in Texas.

Chapman Brand Shoes

STRICTLY HIGH GRADE GUARANTEED PATENT

\$5

We have the finest line of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes in Ada. You will get better satisfaction and save money in buying shoes at our exclusive shoe store.

CHAPMAN
The Shoe Man

DAM PRACTICALLY COMPLETED

Awaiting Pumps for Finishing Touch—Fast Work on Pipe Lines.

Foreman Harry Kellar, of the water-works construction, says the building of the big dam is completed except some finishing touches about the power house which must wait for the installment of the pumping machinery. The machinery is now in transit and is daily expected.

Two gangs are rapidly laying the pipe lines from the reservoir to the water tower and from the tower to the cement plant.

First Monday Sales Day.

J. M. Ramey is engaged in a laudable enterprise, that of boosting a sales day in Ada for every first Monday.

The plan is for citizens of the town to maintain an auctioneer, who shall at some convenient, designated place sell to the highest bidder all property offered. By widely advertising the sales day and providing for a free auctioneer it is thought many sellers and buyers would congregate in Ada once a month and much business benefit accrue to the city.

Pythians Elect Officers.

Tuesday night the K. of P.'s held an interesting meeting the chief feature of which was the semi-annual election of officers. These constitute the new corps of officers for the Ada lodge:

C. C. J. W. Dean, V. C. U. G. Winn; Prelate, J. J. McMillan; Master of Arms, W. G. Gentry, M. of E. Orville Sneed; M. of P. F. H. Hall; M. of W. Tom Reed; Inner Guard, W. G. Blackburn; Outer Guard, H. A. Sprague; K. of R. and S. W. C. Lee.

The Methodist Revival.

Rev. W. M. P. Rippey, after ten days preaching in the Methodist revival here, resulting in much spiritual edification, left today to attend district conference at Tecumseh.

The revival will continue, Pastor T. L. Rippey doing the preaching.

Mrs. M. D. Steiner is now in the employ of the Cox-Greer-McDonald Co.

Marriage Licenses.

Walter C. Burns, 35, Fitzhugh, and Mrs. B. A. Anderson, 28, Midland. R. F. Lilly, 23, and Zada Murphree, 15, Francis. A. M. Griffey, 25, and Bessie Blair, 17, Konawa.

Messrs. Little and Vore, fore some time engaged in a special write up of Ada, having completed their work, departed this afternoon.

Mrs. C. C. Hargis is spending the week with her mother at Center.

DIFFAL & PRICE.

Fancy and Staple Groceries and Feed.

Go anywhere you may, the store that interests the public most is the retail grocer. The poor and rich alike turn to it with clock-like regularity for their table supplies and when you see a splendid new fresh stock like that of Messrs. J. W. Duffal and D. E. Price of Ada you may be assured it commands its full share of the trade. This firm carries a complete assortment of everything handled by a first-class family grocery house, including the most popular brands of table delicacies, canned and bottled goods and the exclusive handling of such excellent brands of high grade flour as "Diamond C" and Weatherford's "Best" two makes that never fail the housewife or baker, who duly appreciates good results. There is nothing in fruits, vegetables, fresh eggs and butter but may be had here if anywhere. They also handle all kinds of fresh and cured meats. The house furnishes farmers with a ready market for their surplus products at best prices and not only have extensive dealings with them but a family trade in the city of large proportions. In all respects the methods of the firm are enterprising and up-to-date and for genuine obliging service is not surpassed by all of its competitors. Mr. Duffal hails from Arkansas while Mr. Price is from Texas. They started their business about 15 months ago and have been deservedly successful in their venture as well as gaining for themselves the confidence and high regard of the entire community.

BIG BARBECUE

AT ADA

Under management W. O. W. at LEADER GROVE one mile south of Ada.

JULY 4th

Free Barbecue and ice water for everybody in Pontotoc County. Speaking by orators of reputation and amusements of all kinds. Come early and stay late and have a big time celebrating the glorious Fourth.

While it is said every thing is going up look at our

REDUCTIONS

Granite Wash pans, the kind usually sold at 20c this week at 5c each.

See our cut prices on Ball Mason Fruit Jars. Pints 50c a doz.; quarts 60c a doz.; half gallons 75c a doz.

Extra Jar Caps and Rubber porcelain lined 20c a doz.

Extra Jar Rubbers 50c a doz. Extra heavy jar rubber 90c per doz.

Jelly Glasses—We have two sizes, 1/2 pints 30c per doz. 1/4 pints 25c per doz.

When you want glassware, queenware, enameledware, tinware, etc., come to see us.

Stoneware—Crockers and jars. Buy all you want here at 6c per gallon.

See our new line of Laces, only 5c per yard.

Handkerchiefs—Extra values in ladies' and gents' handkerchiefs, 5c and 10c.

Umbrellas—For ladies and gents, imitation silk, extra values for \$1.00.

Gloves—We wish to call your attention to our line of gloves. Ladies' mercerized gloves in black, white and colors, 30c a pair.

Saturday Extra Special—We are going to sell while they last another lot of those good four-strand brooms at 10c each. Sold with 25c worth of other goods, one to a customer. Come and see

The Nickel Store and China Hall.

The 5c and 10c Store of Ada S. M. SHAW, Prop.

P. C. Duncan & Co.

Real Estate, Insurance and Abstracts. Reliance, a great word, isn't it? It means anything it means a great deal. We should always be able to rely upon the solidity and honesty of the company or firm, and the representation made to us by the persons with whom we are dealing. In the firm of P. C. Duncan & Co., established January 1st, 1907, we find one in every way reliable and worthy the confidence of our people. They deal in insurance, farm and city loans, and abstracts, insuring life or property against any kind of loss, and handling choice bargains in farm and city property which can now be bought at very low prices as compared to the figures a year hence. They are prepared to show properties, and to those who would write the firm we may say that the answer received may be depended upon as thoroughly reliable. This firm owns a set of abstract books which perhaps are the only complete set in the county and can furnish correct abstracts on short notice. Mr. Duncan, a Tennessean, came here from Texas five years ago and engaged in merchandising. Mr. L. L. Britton, the other member of the company is a Missourian, and came here about January 1st from Joplin, and is fast gaining in popularity. Mr. Duncan is most favorably known to our people, and the public can be assured of honest, fair and business-like service from them at all times.

THE CITIZEN NATIONAL BANK.

A House of Worth and Standing.

The prosperity of a city may be judged by the number of business houses she has that may be termed "substantial" and best evidences are the condition of her banks. These are the bulwarks, the houses who advance her interests, and establish the commercial reputation that is her real life. Few banks in this section of the country hold a higher position than does the Citizens National of Ada, which was founded January 1, 1903, and is officered by J. W. Hays, Pres.; L. E. Patterson, vice-pres.; F. O. Harris, cashier, and W. D. Hays, asst. cashier, with directors of the first three named, also Jno. P. Crawford, F. S. Hought, Mrs. L. M. Hodges, C. M. Coppedge, M. C. Lee and E. H. Epperson. The affairs of the bank have been conducted on a most liberal yet safe and efficient basis, and the

WANT COLUMN

Want ads in the News are sure to bring results.

WANTED—3 or 4 room cottage reasonably close in. Howard Parker, News office. 75-2t

Lost—A new, ivory handled, 45 Colts, long barrel, election six shooter. Liberal reward. Return to News.

FOR SALE—By O. B. Weaver good residence and business property at "pawn broker prices."

WANTED—Young man or boy to solicit circulation for the Daily and Weekly News. Apply to Business Manager News.

WANTED—First-class board and room in private family by couple without children. References furnished. Address postoffice box No. 196.

WANTED—Furnished cottage or rooms for housekeeping. State location and price. References furnished. Address postoffice box No. 196.

WANTED—Position by a young lady with a thorough knowledge of stenography and bookkeeping. Neat and correct in her work. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE—By O. B. Weaver improved and unimproved, both business and residence property, at a "hard up" bargain.

appreciation of their policy is reflected in the signal success enjoyed in the support and encouragement received from the city's best business interests, the customers being found among the leading firms, industries and farmers of the community. The bank has a capital of \$50,000, a surplus and profits of over \$20,000 and its affairs are in the hands of men who weigh well every act and depart not from the well trodden paths of safety, while yet extending generous treatment and aid to worthy enterprises of the community, and are men whose responsibility, high personal character and integrity inspire and merit the greatest confidence of the public.

M. L. WALSH.

Prominent Citizen and Merchant. In every class of business there is always some one man who stands as a representative of those qualities of straightforwardness, reliability and devotion to plain, sturdy standards of commercial honor which inspire and retains public confidence. Mart Walsh came west from Indiana at an early age and has spent most of his life in the west. Since opening his business in Ada six years ago he has become a power in commercial circles and his house most popular in the line of dry goods, clothing, ladies' and gents' furnishings, hats, caps and shoes, the stock filling over 500 feet of floor space and requiring the attention of several trained salespeople to attend to the wants of an ever increasing and satisfied patronage. Mr. Walsh is one of our leading cotton buyers, and although his time is well taken up with business, he is loyal, patriotic and progressive in movements for Ada and he well deserves the success he has achieved. A liberal contributor to all charitable and public works, and thorough attention to business with a strict observance of its principles are the main factors in the prosperity enjoyed by this progressive merchant.

Are You Insured?

IF NOT, WHY NOT?

Hicks predicts tornadoes during the summer and fires are liable to occur at any time. Therefore you had better prepare yourself against loss by insuring in old reliable companies.

AT

O. B. WEAVER AGENCY
R. O. WHEELER, Manager

To All Our Customers, And Others:

We have bought the W. S. Akers Meat Market and have moved it into our store and will handle all kinds of meats and would be pleased to have you give us a trial.

Phone 92 for Fresh Meats and Groceries

Duffal & Price

When hot and tired and thirsty just stop at Ramsey's and make a noise like

ORANGEADE, Only 5c, Try It.

RAMSEY'S DRUG STORE

Did You Know

That the human body is composed of at least eighty (80) per cent water. If the water you drink is not pure and wholesome your system will be impaired.

We are now agents for the well known "Pal-Pintz" or Texas Carlsbad mineral water, and the now famous "Claremore Radium Water." Let us talk to you about them.

Cwin, Mays & Co.

THE DRUGGISTS.

"We run a drug store and nothing more."

NEW FRISCO TIME CARD

The following new time card is now in effect.

TIME TABLE.

North Bound.

No. 512—Eastern Express, 9:35 a. m.
No. 510—Meteor, 4:55 p. m.
No. 504—St. Louis and Kansas City Passenger, 11:43 p. m.

South Bound.

No. 509—Meteor, 9:35 a. m.
No. 511—Texas Passenger, 8:23 p. m.
No. 515—Sherman Express, 3:05 a. m.

CITY OFFICERS.

C. O. Barton, Mayor
Jesse Warren, Recorder, Assessor and Collector
Thos. F. Holt, City Attorney
S. W. Hill, City Treasurer
R. C. Couch, City Marshal
E. S. Collins, Street Commissioner
L. L. Johnson, Water Supt.
H. Browall, Chief Fire Dept.
Chairmen of Standing Committees
Cemetery, Sanitary and City Park, J. T. Conn

Finance, W. C. Lee
Fire, R. T. Kerr
Light, J. T. Sutton
Ordinances, T. J. Chambliss
Police Enforcement of Ordinances and Impeachment, A. J. Deaton
Streets, Alleys, Sidewalk, M. D. Timberlake
Water, W. H. Markham

Ada tailoring and cleaning works east of postoffice. 48-1t

The come and go feeling that you experience after taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is simply wonderful. Drugs increase your weakness. This remedy does the business. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ramsey's drug store.

Wright and Berry, tailors, next door to postoffice, for high class work. 48-1t

LEADING PROFESSIONAL MEN

FURMAN & CROXTON
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
Will do a general Civil and Criminal Practice.
Office in Duncan Building.

C. A. Galbraith Tom D. McKeown
GALBRAITH & McKEOWN
LAWYERS
Over Citizens National Bank
Ada, Ind. Ter.

DR. H. T. SAFFARRANS
Dentist
In Freeman Bldg. Ada, I. T.

T. H. Granger B. H. Erb
GRANGER & ERB
DENTISTS
Rooms 1, 2 and 3 1st Nat'l Bank B'l'g.

DR. T. W. CHADWICK,
VETERINARY SURGEON AND DENTIST.
Is now located at
the New Wagon Yard.
Examination free.
Residence phone 305; Office phone 306.

HOLLISTER'S
Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets
A Busy Medicine for Busy People.
Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor.
A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney troubles, Pimples, Eczema, Impure Blood, Bad Breath, Stomach Bowels, Headache and Backache. Its Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form, 35 cents a box. Genuine made by HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis. GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALLOW PEOPLE

USE IT! USE IT! USE IT!
Guaranteed not to irritate.
Prevents Constipation.
THE EVANS CHEMICAL CO.
CHICAGO, ILL.
U. S. A.
Use Big 48 for unnatural discharges, indigestion, irritations or inflammations of mucous membranes, Pimples, and other skin affections, or of the throat, or of the lungs, or of the stomach, or of the bowels, or of the bladder, or of the uterus, or of the vagina, or of the prostate, or of the testicles, or of the epididymis, or of the vas deferens, or of the ureters, or of the urethra, or of the bladder, or of the uterus, or of the vagina, or of the prostate, or of the testicles, or of the epididymis, or of the vas deferens, or of the ureters, or of the urethra.

Cosmetics will ruin the complexion. There's no beauty practice equal to the effects of Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It keeps the entire body in perfect health. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. Ramsey's drug store.

THE PEOPLE'S CANDIDATE

Hereby is announced the Mason Drug Co., a candidate for the most popular drug store in Pontotoc county, subject to the action and approval of all the people who want PURE DRUGS, HONEST PRICES, and a square deal. And this candidate will be an easy winner.

ADA STEAM LAUNDRY CO.

Is given up to be best. Do Largest Agency Work of any plant in this Territory.

Want A Bath?

Then get a good clean one, Hot or Cold, at High & Litzman's Barber Shop, next door to English Kitchen.



When you want to enjoy a good appetizing meal at a moderate charge, come to me!

English Kitchen

Everything strictly first class and clean. Once you eat here you'll become a regular patron.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure by local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proved catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials.
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Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Takes Hall's Family pills for Constipation.

GATHERED SMILES

THE SECRET.

Have my eyes not told the secret?
That has long been in my breast?
Have you, as I flattered with you,
Never known or never guessed?
Need I tell you of my love?
Need I grope for words to tell,
Since my glances have betrayed me,
Since you know the truth so well?

Yes, your eyes have oft betrayed you.
All that you could tell I know.
I have learned your heart's dear secret,
You revealed it long ago.
By your smiles and by your glances
All that you could whisper now
I have learned with glad assurance—
But repeat it anyhow.
—Chicago Record-Herald

Scheme Didn't Work.

Mrs. Stimpurse—It's all nonsense to talk about managing a husband by silent appeals to his good nature. It can't be done. If you want anything you've got to say so right out. You know this horrid old hat I've worn for two seasons.

Mrs. Makeshift—Yes; and I suggested that you should quietly put it on and let him see you wearing it.

Mrs. Stimpurse—That's just what I did—exactly what I did, and when I proposed to walk down the town with him he said, "I'm afraid all this finery will make my old clothes look shabby."

THERE ARE OTHERS.



"Skinner gave me a check the other day, and it was returned to me by the bank marked 'no funds.'"

"I always told you Skinner was a no-account fellow." — Philadelphia Press.

Nothing Doing.

There was a man in our town.
Who was rather slow.
His business kept going down—
An advertisement? No.
—Chicago Daily News

Proof.

"Does your husband love you?" we asked.
"Madly, devotedly," she answered.
"Are you quite sure?"
"Quite. How can I doubt? He has shut me up here in this little cage of a place, where he expects me to spend all my time with nobody's company but his own. If he does not love me, why does he take so much trouble to make me miserable?"

And there she stood in her fine eyes the beautiful strong light of unshaken confidence. —Puck

The Metropolitan Habit.

In an Italian mission school in New York city the teacher was giving a lesson on the life of Lincoln.

"And remember, children," she said earnestly, "when Lincoln went to school it wasn't as easy for him as it is for you. He had to walk miles and miles and miles."

"Why didn't he ask for a transfer?" asked a little boy on the front seat. —Judge.

BETWEEN FRIENDS.



"How did I look in my new ball dress last night?"

"Oh, you were simply beautiful—nobody recognized you at first." —Elle-gentle Blagoff

Sure!

This world is all a circus show,
Where oft to gaze we turn
One must be fortunate, you know,
A veritable clown.
—Judge.

Too Much for Pa.

Visitor—Well, Tommy, I hear you have brand-new twin sisters?
Tommy (sally)—Yessum, that's what it is.
Visitor (surprised)—What does your father say about the dear little angels?
Tommy—He doesn't call them angels, and he doesn't say 'nothin'.

The Age.

First Boarder—It was an easy matter to classify the stone age, the bronze age, etc.; but this age with its many and wondrous inventions, what name will fit?

Second Boarder—Judging by the eggs (and other grub) we get nowa days, it strikes me storage would be about right. —Judge.

ADORABLE SPRING.



Michael—Oh, yes, I adore spring. It is so like childhood, you know."

Howard—Oh, yes; very squally for the most part. —Cincinnati Inquirer.

The Bargain Hunter.

From store to store she hastens,
And will think the day well spent
If on all the things she purchases
She saves but half a cent.
—Judge.

Pay Day Not Eternity.

"Young man," said the serious gentleman, "did you ever pause and think that each tick of the clock brings you another moment nearer to the end of your existence?"

"I was thinking of something of that kind this very minute," cheerfully replied the youth, "only the idea struck me that each tick brought pay-day that much nearer."

A Frightful Rumor.

Cecil—Poor Algy Duffington is on the verge of complete nervous prostration over a criminally stupid rumor.

Percy—My word! It's the first I'd heard of it. What agitated the dear boy so?"

Cecil—Some anonymous writer has declared that in the very near future valets will no longer be fashionable. —Puck

NOW FANCY THAT.



Gwendolyn—Tell me, dear, did Cholby kiss you very hard?

Geraldine—Not exactly. He hardly kissed me. —Chicago Daily News.

Up to Uncle.

"Oh, uncle, do give mother her pretty diamonds back again."

"What on earth do you mean, darling? I haven't them."

"But I heard mother say that she has had to let you have them since her last bridge party, and won't be able to get them back for a long time!"

Animals That Roam.

"Now, Johnnie," asked his teacher, "when you go to the country in summer what animals do you see roving about?"

"Boarders," was the prompt reply. —Judge.

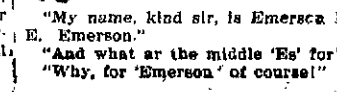
Matter of Orthography.

Lola—I told mamma this morning that the sun affected my eyes.

Grace—What did she say?

Lola—She asked whose son I had reference to. —Chicago Daily News.

IN BOSTON.



"My name, kind sir, is Emeraca E. E. Emerson."

"And what are the middle 'Es' for?"

"Why, for 'Emerson' of course!"

CUP THAT CHEERS

TEA REQUIRES MUCH CARE IN THE MAKING.

Delicious Beverage Is Too Often Spoiled by Careless Handling—Right Way to Prepare Cocoa and Chocolate—Vanilla Flavoring.

To Make Tea.—Scald the pot and never place it over the fire. A china, granite, or earthen pot is the best. Allow one teaspoonful of tea to a pint of boiling water. Add the tea to the hot pot, pour on the boiling water and cover with a tea basket or cozy, as anything that will keep the heat in the pot while it is steeping is desirable. The infusion will always be heavier at the bottom of the pot, which makes it better to stir the tea before pouring, or the first cup will be weak, and the last too strong. Boiled tea is very injurious, more so than boiled coffee, as it is rich in tannin.

Cocoa and chocolate are made from the cocoa bean. These are ground, mixed with sugar, and frequently arrow-root and starch. To some preparations cinnamon or vanilla is added. Chocolate is made from the bean, but contains a much larger proportion of fat than the cocoa productions. The fat obtained from the cocoa bean is cocoa butter. Cocoa and chocolate differ from tea and coffee, as they contain nutriment as well as stimulant. Theobromine, the active principle, is very much like caffeine and theine in its composition and effects.

As cocoa and chocolate contain starch it makes boiling a necessity in the preparation. If milk is added and boiled with the cocoa it is less digestible. Both chocolate and cocoa should be boiled in water and the milk simply scalded and added last. Good cocoa should be reddish brown, very fine and free from fat. Cocoa when boiled in water with scalded milk and whipped cream added is more digestible than chocolate, although chocolate would be still more digestible if it were made with water and used without cream.

A cup of chocolate with a piece of whole wheat bread makes a good breakfast for a school child.

To Make Cocoa.—Moisten four teaspoonfuls of cocoa with four table spoonfuls of hot water, stir until smooth, then add half a pint of boiling water, bring to the boiling point, then add two tablespoonfuls of sugar and half a cupful of good milk. Take from the fire and add a few drops of vanilla. If liked, serve at once with whipped cream.

To Make a Pot of Chocolate.—Put four ounces of chocolate in a double boiler and allow it to melt, then add a quart of boiling water and stir constantly until the water in the boiler boils for five minutes. Add a quart of scalded milk and beat well with an egg beater. Serve plain or with whipped cream. A drop or two of cinnamon or half a teaspoonful of vanilla may be added if desired.

How to Make Prune Pie.

Prune pie can be made now with a little lemon peel to give it flavor. Grate the peel and stone the prunes. Raisin pie is nice, and dates even can be made into our great American dish. Long before cherries are here nice pies can be made from canned cherries. And candied currants make a pie—that one never gets nowadays, somehow. Yet why not? Currants grow, and are brought to Philadelphia markets in generous amounts, yet they are only used sparingly for currant jelly. Currant jam is delicious for little tarts. Spiced currants are fine. The trouble is that currants come when city housekeepers here are closing their homes or have already gone, and so none are put up. From the strawberries that are preserved in the spring to the autumn fruits there is a long gap. —Philadelphia Ledger.

To Make Indian Muffins.

Sift and mix together a pint and a half of yellow Indian meal and a handful of flour. Melt a quarter of a pound of fresh butter in a quart of milk. Beat four eggs very light and stir into them alternately a little at a time of each) the milk when it is quite cold, and the meal, adding a small teaspoonful of salt. The whole must be beaten long and hard. Have the muffin tins buttered and heated before pouring the batter into them for baking. Send the muffins to the table hot and split them with the fingers for eating, as cutting with a knife will make them heavy. Eat with butter, molasses or honey.

Swiss Steak.

Get a round steak, about three inches thick; salt, pepper and flour it; take a meat pounder and keep pounding the flour in for about half an hour; use just as much flour as can be pounded in the meat. Put butter in pan, and after it gets hot put meat in and brown on both sides; then add hot water and let cook slowly, closely covered. Keep adding water until tender. If onions are liked, boil six or eight onions in salt water until tender. About 15 minutes before taking up the steak pour the onions with the liquid over the meat, cover and simmer.

Orange Jumbles.

One-half cup butter, one cup sugar creamed together. Add one beaten egg, one-third cup of milk, one tea spoonful orange extract. Beat together, then stir in three cups of flour in which has been sifted one tea spoonful of soda, two of cream tartar and a little salt. Roll on a floured board very thin, cut with a doughnut cutter sprinkle with sugar and bake in a moderate oven.

GOOD POLISH FOR FLOORS.

Homemade Preparation Better Than the Purchased Article.

It is cheaper to prepare your own polish for floors. To do so buy at the drug store one-half pound of white beeswax; place in a crock; pour over it one-half gallon turpentine and set on back of range until melted; remove and cool, when it should be a little thinner than vaseline; but as the little cakes of wax are sold for an ounce and are not uniform, the beginner would better try half the quantity given above and if, when cool, it is too thick, add a little more turpentine; if too thin, add more wax and melt over. Be careful no turpentine is on the edge or outside of the crock, as it may easily catch and set fire to the preparation; and for this reason if placed on the gas stove lay a stove lid over the flame. Rub this polish thinly and evenly over the entire floor; let stand to harden at least half an hour, then rub with weighted brush, beginning in the corner where the polish was first applied, as it will have had a longer time in which to harden.

CARE OF HOUSEHOLD LINEN.

Arrange in Separate Piles with Sachets of Scent Among Them.

The linen cupboard with plenty of shelves is a great convenience, but many housekeepers have to be content with storing their linen in drawers, as the scarcity of cupboards is one of the drawbacks of modern houses.

When the shelves are turned out and cleaned cover them with fresh paper when perfectly dry. Whether the linen is kept in a drawer or cupboard it should be arranged in neat piles. Tablecloths, table napkins and tray cloths in one shelf or drawer, pillowcases and towels in another.

Sachets of lavender, thyme or rose leaves should find a place among the piles of linen.

If any of the sheets show signs of wear, cut them in the middle and seam the outer edges together, so that the worn part is placed where it gets least wear. It is a good plan on a fine warm day to take all the linen which is not much used and hang it on a line for a few hours.

Stationary Ironing Board.

One of the most satisfactory ironing boards that ever I have used is a stationary board hinged to the wall in place of the usual movable one which is placed on a table or chair. The board is 5 1/2 feet long, 14 inches wide, and 1 1/2 inches thick, and is shaped in the usual manner. It has two cleats on the back to prevent warping. At its wide end it is fastened with loose pin hinges to a three-inch cleat, which is screwed to the wall, so when the board is in position to use a kitchen chair will form the support for the board. When not in use the board is turned up against the wall and held in position by a hook at one side. The back of the board can be papered or painted so as to match the wall, and the cover for the board can be planned or tied on at each ironing, as it takes but a moment to prepare for use.

Cocoanut Custard.

Bring a quart of milk to the scalding point, but do not boil. Take from the fire and stir into it the yolks of three eggs and three tablespoonfuls of sugar that have been beaten to a cream. Stir well, put back on the fire. Thicken with one tablespoonful of cornstarch, and add one cupful of shredded or grated cocoanut. When thick pour into the serving dish and let cool. Whip the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth, spread over top and let brown in the oven. Sometimes for a change, instead of browning the whites whip a little rose coloring which gives them a lovely pink tinge and use a paper cone to make a fancy top.

Best Ways to Wind Wool.

Wool for knitting or crocheting should never be wound very tightly into a hard ball, as this makes it thin and poor. Some good knitters merely unwind the skein into a soft heap, but this method is only possible where there is no fear of entanglement, as if the heap of wool be disturbed it soon gets into a hopeless tangle. A better plan is to wind the wool over three or four fingers of the left hand held outside the ball. These fingers should be gently withdrawn at frequent intervals to change the position of the ball, says Woman's Life. Wool thus wound is always soft and full of thread.

Rice With Mutton.

Line a buttered baking dish with a wall of rice an inch in thickness. Fill the center with cold roast or boiled mutton, chopped small and freed from bone and gristle. Season to taste. Add a little onion juice and moisten with gravy. Cover with a layer of rice and bake, covered, in a moderate oven for half an hour. Then remove the cover, spread lightly with melted butter and let stay in the oven until delicately browned. Serve hot with a tomato sauce. Chicken or veal may be used instead of the mutton.

The Service of a Formal Luncheon.

The arrangement and service of a formal luncheon are much like those for dinner, save that the bare table with ornamental doilies and centerpiece is often used. Plates for bread and butter are appropriate for luncheon. Effervescent waters are sometimes served rather than wine for this meal, especially where only women are present. —Harper's Bazar.

NEWS OF THE LABOR WORLD

The Army of the Children.
Through the dark dawn I see them
With faces pinched and cold,
With eyes that see no beauty,
And garments frayed and old.

Through the dark streets an army
Of little people, that shrink
Before the task that meets them,
And minds too worn to think!

Through the dark streets I meet them,
Or little people, that shrink
Before the task that meets them,
And minds too worn to think!

An army bruised and starving,
And in the factories dim,
Where tears of countless children
Go spending up to him.

An army bruised and starving,
And in the factories dim,
Where tears of countless children
Go spending up to him.

The army of the children,
Still day, O Lord, shall rise
And bear the scales of darkness
From Mammon's blinded eyes.

The army of the children,
No more my eyes shall see
In that great day that's coming,
When every child is free.

Thy face, O Lord, I see them,
With faces pinched and cold,
With souls that feel no beauty,
And garments frayed and old.

—Jas. Lord MacAvitt, in New York Sun.

Boston.—The Massachusetts state convention of the National Association of Stationary Engineers will be held in New Bedford, July 12 and 13.

Covington, Ky.—Judge Cochran, in the federal court recently upheld the law prohibiting common carriers from discriminating against labor organizations.

Bridgeport, Conn.—Machinists and tool makers to the number of 350, and their skilled assistants, in the government work shops have gone on strike.

Atlanta, Ga.—The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen reelected P. H. Morrissey grand master without opposition. The other officers also were reelected.

Chicago.—Through arbitration proceedings the Elevator Starters and Conductors' Union has secured a raise of five dollars a month in pay for its members.

St. Petersburg.—Ten thousand factory hands at Shuya, Russia, quit work and demanded the release of the noted revolutionist, Arzenius, whom the police arrested.

Cleveland, O.—The freight handlers on the docks of the Detroit & Cleveland line struck for more wages. The men have been getting 16 1/2 cents an hour and they want 20 cents.

Indianapolis, Ind.—President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America, it is announced, has been recommended for the office and will permit his nomination to stand.

Philadelphia.—The strike and lock-out of bricklayers and masons in this city, which grew out of a dispute as to the right of the granite cutters to set finished stone, has been declared off.

Boston.—According to advices from the leading cotton mill centers of southern New England fully 45,000 operatives had their wages advanced about ten per cent, beginning Monday, May 27.

Atlanta, Ga.—The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen passed resolutions denouncing what they termed a conspiracy between the governors of Idaho and Colorado in kidnapping from their homes Meyer, Haywood and Pettibone, and hurrying them into Idaho for trial, without recourse to requisition. The resolutions embodied a donation of \$500 for the defense of the accused men.

New York.—Twenty thousand telegraph operators, members of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America, are getting ready to strike. They compose, their leaders assert, 90 per cent, of the commercial operators in this country and Canada. The strike will be for a straight eight-hour day, for abolition of the discrimination which they say is made against members of their union and for higher wages. Every city in the country will be involved, but New York and Chicago will be the storm centers of the fight.

Chicago.—More strikes added to the discontent in labor circles when 350 machinists and 20 carpenters walked out because of differences with their employers. The machinists involved were employed at the Allis-Chalmers plant and by the Goss Printing Press company. One hundred and fifty machinists quit at the Allis-Chalmers shops because they had been refused an increase of 25 cents a day. Fifty electricians were thrown out of work as a result. Two hundred machinists, who failed to get a similar advance, are involved in the strike against the Goss company.

Detroit, Mich.—A strike of the ice handlers of this city for an increase in wages from \$17.50 per week to \$19.50, resulted in Detroit being iceless.

Washington.—An organization which will have control of all workers in the glass trade, whether in the window, flint or bottle departments, is the ambitious scheme that some of the prominent union men have in view. This idea has been advanced before and has never met with any very striking success, but it is claimed that the time is now ripe, or nearly so, for its consummation.

Berlin.—The threatened lockout of

Boston.—Miss Mattie A. Gillispe was elected one of the four delegates to the I. T. U. international convention at Hot Springs this summer. She is the first woman ever elected by an eastern union.

Washington.—An estimate furnished by a statistician gives the number of men killed in the daily pursuit of their callings, largely skilled and unskilled laborers, for the last four years, at 80,000 men, or 20,000 annually.

Mobile, Ala.—All the building contractors of Mobile put their establishments on the open shop basis, according to a previous agreement. As a result about 1,500 men in the building trades failed to show up for work.

Chicago.—Summing up the work of last year Secretary Frank Duffy of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters reports that in sick benefits alone there was paid out the sum of \$107,000, while the death and disability benefits, in the same time, amounted to \$13,202.18.

Chicago.—One thousand employees of the Elgin, Joliet & Eastern and the Chicago, Lake Shore & Eastern railroads, owned by the United States Steel corporation, were supposed to find their pay had been in arrears, dating from May 1. The total arrears on the two roads will aggregate \$55,000 a year. Of this amount Joliet employees will get \$20,000. The remainder goes monthly to employees at South Chicago.

Rome, Italy.—Agricultural laborers at Agenta, in the province of Ferrara, Italy, have been on strike for six weeks for a more equitable division of labor and wages. So resolute is the entire population in its resistance to the former proprietors that mothers of families, nearly all of whom profess socialist principles, have sent away from the zone of conflict 1,700 babies to be cared for in artisan households of upper Italy.

Chicago.—One labor organization of which little has been heard, and from which much is expected, is the Provision Trades council of Chicago and vicinity, organized last March, and now representing more than 15,000 men employed in producing or handling provisions. President McKenzie of the council was born in Green Bay, Wis. June 4, 1877, and came to Chicago 14 years ago. He has been a member of the Chicago Walters' union, local No. 336, since it was organized in 1901.



R. H. McKenzie.

He was elected president of the union in 1901, and served for two years. In 1905 he was elected business agent, and has held that position ever since.

Toledo, O.—The scale placing all the men in the steel, iron and tin mills on the tonnage basis and the sliding scale schedule was adopted by the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers, in convention here. Prior to the closing of the convention President McArthur will appoint a scale committee to present the scale to the employers.

Toledo, O.—The new wage scale for the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers provides for an advance of seven and one-half per cent, all along the line in the finishing departments. Indications are that this section of the scale will be adopted and will be the scale presented to the employers. An advance is also asked for the puddlers.

Aurora, Ill.—The freight handlers of the Burlington freighthouse here struck for an increase of ten per cent. in wages. The men were getting 15 cents an hour. One of the men said: "It is dead wrong for us, born here in this country and obeying all injunctions that go with our rights as American citizens, to work for \$1.50 a day when foreign boys being paid \$1.65 by the Burlington."

Allentown, Pa.—The Atlas Cement company, the largest concern of its kind in the world, shut down two of its mills on May 28. The shutdown throws 2,500 men out of employment. It is also stated that other mills of the company will be run on half time only for a time.

New York.—It was announced recently that an international strike of painters has started in the leading cities of the United States and Canada. Eighty thousand men have been notified to stop working for New York firms having contracts in outside cities until a uniform wage rate is granted.

London, England.—The number of